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Iran's Ambassador May Place Case Before U.N. Council

Britain and United States Oppose Any Oil Negotiations With Troops Present

WASHINGTON, March 18 (AP).—Iranian Ambassador Hussein Ala is expected to announce tomorrow he has been designated by his Government to place Iran's case against Russia before the United Nations Security Council in New York next week.

Premier Ahmed Qavam Es Sultaneh announced in Teheran last week his government would lay its case before the council again because his efforts to reach a settlement with Russia in recent discussions at Moscow had failed.

Tonight, Washington diplomatic reporters were summoned unexpectedly to the Iranian Embassy where Ghulam Abbas Aram, first secretary, had promised a press statement.

When reporters arrived at the embassy, Mr. Aram said plans had been changed and the statement would not be issued until tomorrow.

LONDON, March 18 (CP).—Great Britain and United States were reported today to be opposed to any negotiations between Iran and Russia on oil concessions while Soviet troops remain on Iranian soil and Iranian Embassy officials in London said the Tehran Government also took this position. But developments in Iran remained cloaked in secrecy.

Washington dispatches said American officials believed the Russians may try either to break the resistance of the present Iranian Government or pull off a coup d' etat to put a new government in power. The immediate object, it was said, was to get official Iranian authority for the presence of Red Army troops in Iran.

Spain States U.S. Activity In Espionage

Charges in Reply to Recent White Book

MADRID, March 18 (AP). — The Spanish Government charged tonight that United States engaged in espionage activities in Spanish North Africa in 1943, and early the following year submitted a plan to other Allied powers for an invasion of the Iberian Peninsula.

The charges were made in a 3,000-word "reply" to the recent United States White Book which declared that the Franco regime had co-operated with the Axis during the war.

The document, issued by the Foreign Ministry, denied that Spain was compromised with the nations of the Axis" and said "the conduct of Spain toward the United States during the war and postwar years had been irreproachable."

The Spanish statement made five objections of general character" to the United States White Book:

1. Publication of the documents without Spanish consent "constituted an act difficult to justify according to the norms of diplomatic courtesy."

2. The facts in the United States White Book had been long known and had brought no complaints.

3. The documents were taken out of context.

4. Only two of the 15 documents referred to the period during which the United States was a belligerent.

5. Eight of the 15 documents were signed by German diplomats and were, therefore, one-sided.

Seek Policy On Fisheries

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—United Fishermen and Allied Workers Union (CCL) demanded at its annual convention today that the Canadian Government establish a policy for control and regulation of offshore fisheries on the West Coast.

Demanding immediate action, an adopted resolution said United States and Mexico have proclaimed their jurisdiction over deepsea fishing off their coasts and issued a warning to Japan that fishermen from that country will not be permitted to exploit Pacific Coast fisheries as they did in prewar days.

From Europe Day by Day—

THE TIMES, London

News and Comment on International Events selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province.

LONDON, March 18.—Unless there is a great change of heart on one or both sides, there is little prospect of peace in Palestine, says The Times' Jerusalem correspondent.

That is a depressing but inescapable conclusion after hearing the uncompromising, indeed bellicose, addresses of the principal Arab and Jewish speakers before the Anglo-American Committee of Inquiry.

Both sides have announced they cannot be bound by any decision unfavorable to them. They have defied each other. The stress under which they labor is tremendous. Feelings are intense and dismetrically opposed claims are being uncompromisingly urged.

Any conceivable solution must seem unacceptable to one if not both parties, and will probably be found to result in the emergence of irreconcilable groups who will direct all their energies to upsetting a solution and trying to force a readjustment in their favor.

It might be wondered if this is the time for a "solution" which it seems clear would have to be imposed by a firm and relentless use of force.

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Discussing security in the Pacific, The Times editorially says that one result of the war against Japan has been to bring Australia into wholly new prominence as a Pacific power, and that Australia is determined to take its full share in establishing an effective system of international security in the Far East.

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Korean Leader To Resign

SEOUL, Korea, March 15 (AP).—Dr. Syngman Rhee brought avowed Russia of seeking to "communize our country" and announced he was resigning as chairman of the American-supported Democratic Council of Southern Korea, Associates predicted, however, that the council would refuse his resignation.

Rhee, who has been absent for 27 years while Korea was ruled by Japan, made his announcement as a Soviet delegation arrived here to confer with American authorities on the creation of a Korean Provisional Government.

Outlaw to Second Man in China Record of Communist Chairman

CHUNGKING, March 18 (Reuters).—Twenty years ago Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek posted a reward of $450 for the capture, dead or alive, of a young revolutionary—Mao Tse-Tung. Today Mao is the second most important man in China, ranking just behind Chiang himself.

Chairman of the Chinese Communist party, Mao is variously known as the "Red Napoleon," the "Lenin of China" and the "genius" of a major political movement which claims a following of 100,000,000. Within the next few months he will be a member of the reorganized Coalition Government of China in Nanking. He can almost pick his post.

Children Dig Up $140,000

TORONTO, March 18 (CP).—Three children building sand castles under the verandah of a house in West-Central Toronto resulted today in the finding of $140 000 in paper notes, part of $158,000 loot stolen from suburban New Toronto post office, January 28.

Still missing is $16 000 in postage stamps, unemployment insurance stamps, war savings certificates and cash, as well as $2,500 worth of postal notes.

Eight-year-old Eric Holmberg, a little girl and another little boy were scooping up sand under the verandah to build the castle when they uncovered papers and took them into the Holmberg home to play with.

More Men Named in Espionage Activities

DR. RAYMOND BOYER

DR. DAVID SHUGAR

FRED ROSE, M.P.

Naming of four additional Government employees and the arrest of Fred Rose, Labor Progressive M.P. for Montreal-Cartier, were highlights of the espionage charge list last night. The men were Dr. Raymond Boyer, assistant professor of chemistry at McGill University; Harold Samuel Gerson, employee of Allied War Supplies, Ltd.; Dr. David Shugar, in the directorate of electrical supply, R.C.N., and Sqdn. Ldr. Matt Simons Nightingale, of the branch land lines of the R.C.A.F.

SQDN. LDR. NIGHTINGALE

Discrimination Seen In Granting Licences

Discrimination in the granting of licences was charged against the Public Utilities Commission by R. C. MacDonald, Coalition member for Dewdney, during budget debate in the Legislature yesterday.

Mr. MacDonald stated that recently a company of Victoria citizens who had raised $20,000 of their own money and received a 21-year lease from the Department of Lands on the Industrial Reserve to go into the gasoline and oil business, had been refused a license by the Public Utilities Commission.

The serious situation in this case

Help for Farms Is Badly Needed

An urgent appeal for all types of dairy help, tractor and tramster operators, and general farm help, has been issued by C. M. Smith, district manager, Dominion-Provincial Emergency Farm Labor Service here.

Find Two Bodies In Nanaimo Area

NANAIMO, March 18 (CP).—Police described as suicide the discovery of two men in Nanaimo district today.

They said they found John Carlson, 52, of Armstrong, B.C., hanging in his hotel room, suspended with tender twine from water pipes near the ceiling.

Ernest Gould, farther in Cedar district near here, was found dead. Police said he shot and killed himself.

Police were summoned to the home of Gould five miles south of here shortly after noon. He was found lying dead near his home, with a shotgun nearby and a note. The body was discovered by his wife. He was a native son of cedar and until recently employed by the Comox Logging Company. He leaves his mother, his widow, two sons and a young daughter. Remains were brought to Nanaimo to the Jenkins Morgue pending an inquest.

refer to is the fact that a competitor in the same line of business is made applications for a license after this company was refused, and that licence was granted," Mr. MacDonald said.

"This right of discrimination is one serious that it should be discontinued without delay.

"The chairman of the board, Dr. Carruthers, in his letter of refusal, said, 'This licence cannot be granted unless required by public convenience and necessity.' The Coal and Petroleum Products Act requires nothing of the kind.

Another reason given by the chairman is this: 'The refusal of these licenses is in accordance with the principle and practice' approved by the Government and which has been continuously followed by the board.

"That being the case, I suggest that the question of refusal is brought right down to the door of this Government."

The position taken by the chairman of the board—"not only in this case but in many others"—raised issues of public policy which could not be ignored, he added.

Mr. MacDonald wondered, in conclusion, whether the Premier was aware that Dr. Carruthers, as chairman of the Motor Carriers' Board, last year accepted a life membership in the Motor Carriers' Association, composed of members upon whom he was called to "pass judgment quite often."

"I suggest that is a very serious situation," he said. "If a Government employee has no more sense than that, the question arises as to whether he has the ability do hold his position."

Mr. MacDonald reiterated his opinion that the Power Commission should take over the B.C. Electric Co., stock and barter"—if necessary selling the transportation utilities to private enterprise.

Today in the Legislature

2.30 p.m.—Budget debate continues, Gordon S. Wismer, K.C. (Coalition, Vancouver Centre), leading. Night sittings begin, 8.30.

Committees: Municipal Affairs, Cedar Room, 4 a.m.; Standing Orders and Private Bills, Maple Room, 10 a.m.

Butter Stocks Here Adequate

Butter stocks in Victoria are adequate to meet the demand for a check of local department stores and independent grocers yesterday showed.

All of the large stores reported they have experienced no difficulty in replenishing stocks and have at no time been without butter. The situation may change in the near future, however, most managers agree.

In Vancouver yesterday it was reported Vancouver's butter crisis has struck. Reports are that a large number of neighborhood stores sold out by noon Saturday. A check of 19 shops at random throughout the city, showed yesterday morning that five had none in stock.

Winch Attacks Partisanship

The Provincial Government was no partisan that even when it could obtain a person of the highest qualifications it would allow a departmental vacancy to go unfilled because a candidate first happened to be an active "C.C.F." Harold E. Winch, Opposition Leader, accused in the budget debate yesterday.

He was referring to an application for a social services head appointment by Mrs. Clare McAllister, who contested Oak Bay against Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works, in the last election.

Reference of a long list of Mrs. McAllister's academic and practical qualifications, he declared, that an explanation was due as to why a person so qualified was recalled from the civil service (now a Government official by a Cabinet minister and, he understood, by order of the Executive Council.

Mr. Winch alleged that Mrs. McAllister, by request, had visited the department, where she had been told that she could be employed, especially in field service, because of her "present political activity in the C.C.F."

Speaking of the election in the Oak Bay riding, Mr. Winch said the C.C.F candidate there had been released least absence for a month from the Shiluk-Premier mine to take part in the election, and was given the choice of remaining or being "fired." Unfortunately, Mr. Winch said, he chose the former.

"That company," he declared, "is 100 per cent United Nations concrolled, with all directors but one living in Eastern Canada." He claimed that consideration should be given by the Government to necessary action to see that democratic rights were preserved in such cases.

Russian Agents Utilized Canada for Espionage Against U.S. and Britain

BULLETINS

Occupation Forces

CHATHAM, Ont., March 18 (CP).—John G. Diefenbaker, Progressive Conservative member for Lake Centre, said tonight withdrawal of Canadian occupation forces meant Canada was shirking its duty in connection with world peace.

To Visit London

OTTAWA, March 18 (CP).—Best information in Government circles here tonight is that Prime Minister Mackenzie King will be in London for Commonwealth talks with Prime Minister Attlee some time in May.

Own Destiny

HALIFAX, March 18 (CP).—The Government is responsible for the formation of the Government which the citizens can mark and their own destiny, Hon. Angus L. Macdonald said in the Nova Scotia Legislature tonight.

Prime Minister Confident Stalin Was Unaware of Activity in This Country

OTTAWA, March 18 (CP).—Prime Minister Mackenzie King tonight told the Commons Soviet agents had used Canada as a base for espionage operations against Britain and United States, but said he was sure Premier Stalin was unaware of the activity.

Mr. King said a "central feature" of the statement of Igor Gouzenko, Russian cipher clerk who informed the Canadian Government of the espionage ring, was the claim that a "fifth column" was being created in Canada, with the infiltration extending "in a very wide direction."

Speaking for nearly one and one-half hours, Mr. King unfolded the grave background details of the Russian under-cover activity and highlighted his review with three statements:

1. He expressed the hope no one in a responsible position in Canada at this time would suggest that Canada sever diplomatic relations with her powerful northern neighbor because of the developments.

2. He also expressed conviction that Premier Stalin, whom he admired, would not countenance the under-cover activity which, he believed, was guided by a few men who had gained power.

3. At one time he thought of going personally to Russia to consult with Stalin on the matter because of his belief the Soviet leader would not condone the activity.

4. The spy ring had used Canada as a base from which to obtain information "on matters of very great concern to the United States and Great Britain."

Mr. King noted that in his original announcement of the country February 15 he did not mention the country involved.

He said he did, however, call in the Soviet charge d'affaires and inform him the country to which reference was made was Russia. There was no communication between the two countries on the subject except a statement broadcast on the Russian radio several weeks ago and given to the Canadian Embassy in Moscow.

He added:

"That was the statement which made light of many aspects of the

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Sees Inquiry Too Secret, Mysterious

Coldwell Points Out Air Full of Rumors

OTTAWA, March 18 (CP).—M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, said tonight in the Commons that there had been too much secrecy and too much mystery in the Government's handling of the espionage investigation.

Speaking after Prime Minister Mackenzie King had made a lengthy statement on the investigation, Mr. Coldwell said the publicity given the espionage ring in Canada and the United States papers last fortnight created a difficult and dangerous international situation.

"The Prime Minister's original statement on February 15 was couched in careful and unprovocative language and I regret that some sections of the press did not exhibit that sense of responsibility which characterized our Canadian press attitude during the war," said Mr. Coldwell.

"Such newspapers may have overlooked the fact that a violent press campaign directed against Russia would be regarded in that country where there is no free press, as the official attitude of this country.

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Alberta Bill Will Balance Purchasing Power, Prices

EDMONTON, March 18 (CP). — Alberta's Social Credit Government today took preliminary steps which, signed to balance the aggregate purchasing power of the people of the province with the collective prices of goods and services for sale within the province, by more equitable distribution.

The program is envisioned in a bill entitled "An Act Respecting the Rights of Alberta Citizens" introduced by Premier E. C. Manning and given first reading by the Legislature.

It provides for a plan of social security and the payment of family and educational benefits. To effect the program, the principal instrument will be the "control board" which is a five-man board of credit commissioners to be appointed.

The board's duty will be to license credit institutions, and to "establish and maintain a proper accounting of the estimated capitalized production" of the province, to be known as the Capital Assets Accounting.

Claims on goods and services issued against these capital assets in the form of currency or credit, deposits held by the people of Alberta will be subject to control.

The board may not take over or interfere with any operation which the credit institution is authorized to perform under the Bank Act. It may recommend disallowance from the consolidated credit adjustment fund of the annual revenue accrued of the Province credit deposits required to pay social security provisions, educational and medical benefits, educational, health and municipal grants.

To regulate the issue and withdrawal of credit the board will be empowered to issue to credit institutions certificates sufficient to enable them to issue credit deposits to customers overdrawn above the deposits against which a reserve of currency is held.

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British Party Leaves for India Today To Launch Important Empire Mission

LONDON, March 16 (Reuters).—Three British Cabinet Ministers will leave by air tomorrow for India to start one of the most important British Empire missions in modern times.

Members of the mission are Lord Pethick-Lawrence, Secretary of State for India; A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, and Sir Stafford Cripps, President of the Board of Trade and the man who, in 1942, tried to reach an agreement with India but failed.

Negotiations in India may be long and difficult but so far as Britain is concerned, the mission leaves at a time more than favorable for such talks is favorable and most important of all at a time when Britain's Labor Government is determined to do its utmost to succeed in placing India among the great and independent countries of the world.

There are rumors that a draft treaty already is in existence.

The mission, it has been declared, goes with the national mandate and here on the eve of its departure is how representatives of the big three political parties see it:

Liberal Leader Clement Davies said: "India today demands that she should guide her own destiny in her own way and that political power be transferred to Indian hands. Britain agrees that such a transfer should be made."

Labor Member Reginald Sorensen, well known to both countries for his interest in Indian aspirations, said: "There is a very real and persistent desire that bold and imaginative steps shall be taken to secure settlement in which the views of India shall be fully appreciated and implemented."

Conservative Member Richard Butler, Education Minister in the wartime Coalition Government, who led for the Opposition in Friday's House of Commons debate on the mission, said today: "There must be decisive action now in Britain's relation with the Commonwealth but it is far her to decide."

SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS

A. V. ALEXANDER

Vancouver Short Of Hospital Beds

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—The city of Vancouver is short 1,000 hospital beds and Vancouver General Hospital must have greater financial aid if it is to continue to fulfill its "basic and unavoidable social function," General Hospital directors said today in a submission to the Royal Commission on Provincial-Municipal Relations.

Highs and Lows Of the Weather

	Max.	Min.	Precip. inches
Montreal	39	27	
Winnipeg	37	21	Trace
Port Arthur	35	23	
Toronto	47	31	
The Pas	35	19	
Kamloops	54	32	
Medicine Hat	49	27	
Lethbridge	58	27	
Calgary	54	28	
Edmonton	48	27	
Dawson	32	12	Trace
Prince Rupert	44	37	
Victoria	52	37	
Vancouver	48	37	Trace
Kelowna	54	32	
Prince George	37	27	.26
Barkerville	32	15	
Portland	56	38	
Chicago	46	32	
San Francisco	58	48	

Churchill Picketed Before Speech in New York

SOME of the hundreds who gathered in City Hall Plaza, New York, to picket Winston Churchill, wartime Prime Minister of Great Britain, while the latter was receiving the official welcome to New York City. Picket signs, shown above, protested Churchill's anti-Soviet speech delivered in Fulton, Missouri. Meanwhile, Winnie, well guarded by police, rode up Broadway to the plaudits of those who were out in the rain. In the lower picture, Britain's wartime Prime Minister is shown receiving a gold medal and scroll of the City of New York in a ceremony at city hall. Mayor William O'Dwyer made the presentation. Churchill's address, a major address at a dinner in his honor at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, which he replied to Soviet Marshal Stalin's charge that he is a "warmonger."

Says Conservation Program Is Needed

Importance of an immediate program for the conservation of British Columbia's natural resources was stressed by Colin Cameron, former M.L.A. for Comox, during an address at Cridoro Bay Pavilion Saturday night.

Mr Cameron gave a verbal sketch of the province's potential timber and mineral wealth and commented on the report of the Royal Commission on Forestry

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300	52.96	28.97	20.86	16.36
400	70.61	38.63	27.82	21.82
500	88.26	48.28	34.77	27.27
600	105.91	57.93	41.72	32.72
700	123.56	67.58	48.67	38.17
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F. N. Southam, Past President Of Firm, Dies

MONTREAL, March 18 (CP).—F. N. Southam, 76, chairman of the board of Southam Company, Limited, died late today. He had been ill for some time and had been in hospital since New Year's Day.

Frederick Nell Southam was hailed as "a great publicist and a fine Canadian citizen" in an editorial in The Montreal Star in 1940, when he relinquished the presidency of the Southam Company, Ltd., to become chairman of the board.

The Southam Company owns and operates the Southam Press printing establishments in Montreal and Toronto, and six Canadian daily newspapers, The Ottawa Citizen, Hamilton Spectator, Winnipeg Tribune, Calgary Herald, Edmonton Journal and Vancouver Province.

NEWSPAPER CAREER STARTED IN EDMONTON

He was born December 10, 1869, in London, Ont., son of William Southam and the former Wilson Mills. He married Agnes Henderson Linton, of Montreal, who predeceased him. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs E. L. Harvie, of Calgary, and Mrs. Philip S. Fisher, of Montreal. A third daughter, now dead, was the wife of Frederick L. Ker, of Hamilton. There are 13 grandchildren.

He started his business career at The Hamilton Spectator, from where he moved to Montreal in 1886 to found the printing establishment known as Southam Press, Montreal.

Also surviving are three brothers, Wilson M. Southam, of Ottawa; Harry S. Southam, publisher of The Ottawa Citizen, and William J. Southam, of Hamilton, and a sister, Mrs. Ethel St. Clair Balfour, of Hamilton.

Saanich Board Receives Help

Saanich School Board in committee of the whole last night decided to send a letter of thanks to the Department of Education for a cheque received to cover financial needs for new school building pending implementation of the Cameron report, which is expected to provide additional grants. Sum received was not divulged

Trustee H. F. Pullar reported that shortage of gyproc laths for plastering was delaying school construction. David R. McAdams, secretary, said efforts were still being made to obtain furniture for local new schools. It might be necessary to use a larger number of tables than had been planned, instead of desks.

James Bay Dance Tribute to Irish

Irish costumes, Irish songs and music and Irish decorations featured the St. Patrick's Day masquerade dance held by the James Bay Community Club in the Dallas Road hall.

Huge green paper shamrocks dominated the decorations of the hall ceiling, while adorning the walls were the titles of popular old Irish ballads in letters 'Il inches high. Approximately 70 residents of the district and their friends, all in costumes, danced to the music of a three-piece orchestra.

Winners in the prizes for costumes were: Mrs. Hall and Fred Smith, fancy dress; Mrs C. Keay and Stanley Levy, Jr., original, and Mrs. George Pennington and Harold Porter, comic. Mr and Mrs George Butcher and Mrs Stanley Levy acted as judges.

C. Keay was master of ceremonies and chairman of the dance committee. He was assisted by Harold Porter Thomas Affleck and Mr Norris

Secret Vote Today At Sweeney Plant

A secret ballot under direction of Department of Labor will be held between the hours of 10 and 12 noon today in the plant of Forever-Cooperage, Ltd., to determine bargaining agents for the employees

This secret ballot is being conducted at the request of the company and representatives of the employees association.

C.C.F. Leader Hits Budget, Housing, In 2½-Hour Speech in B.C. Legislature

While on the face of it Premier John Hart's budget for the coming fiscal year was balanced, in actual fact it was a deficit budget, Harold Winch, C.C.F. Opposition leader asserted in the Legislature yesterday afternoon.

Partially recovered from a bout of influenza which prevented him from launching the budget debate last Wednesday, Mr. Winch spoke without pause for two and one-half hours, in a vain bid to deal with practically every subject that has been debated on the floor of the House in the three weeks—and many that haven't.

Of the budget speech he had this to day: It was an admission that last year's budget was not a balanced budget because the Minister of Finance had to borrow $6,000,000 from the surplus account. This year's budget also was a deficit budget because in addition to taking $5,500,000 from surplus, it was necessary to borrow $5,000,000 for work that the Premier himself said should be charged to current revenue.

The increase of $350,000 for forest protection was welcomed by Mr. Winch; but he claimed private monopolies should not be allowed to get away with their profits if the people had to pay more for forest protection out of money needed for other services.

Mr. Winch charged that forest operators had found a "slick method of evading taxation" by entering into agreements to purchase large tracts of E. & N. Railway land from the C.P.R. but taking over only the timber rights at a time and letting the land revert for taxes after taking off the timber. He estimated that between 50,000 and 75,000 acres of these lands had reverted.

Premier Hart interjected that investigation would prove no such thing and that the C.P.R. would not defraud the Government of taxes if

HOUSING SITUATION BLAMED ON NEGLECT

He criticized the budget on its allocation of $25,000 to cancer control when Saskatchewan had provided $300,000 for the treatment of cancer sufferers; and on what he claimed to be an inadequate allowance for medical aid for pensioners and those receiving social assistance.

Claiming that the present housing situation was not due entirely to war conditions but to 30 years of Conservative neglect and bungling, Mr. Winch said a desperate situation required a desperate remedy and the Province should go as far as to commandeer materials if necessary. He claimed that a housing program would provide more employment for veterans than any other single project.

Homes at $8,000 were absurdly beyond the means of those in need, he continued. Materials were going into luxury flats.

The C.C.F. claims that the Government could and should immediately set to:

1. Increase pressure on Ottawa for a more realistic housing program under the N.H.A.

2. Secure priorities for materials for the lower-income third.

3. Establish a provincial housing authority to speed up home construction, lower home debt and establish low-rental housing projects.

4. Control the sale of the housing.

He asserted that the Government should make grants to municipalities out of surplus pending the recommendations of the Goldenberg Commission.

Charging that the Government was afraid to tackle the big corporations, Mr. Winch said it was essential to the success of the Power Commission that the B.C. Electric and West Kootenay Light & Power Company should be taken over immediately

He contended that action should be taken now to extend the P.G.E. at least as far as Prince George.

MINIMUM STANDARDS OF SERVICES ASKED

The Opposition leader spoke at considerable length on current Dominion-Provincial negotiations. In summary, he contended.

1. The Dominion should have based its proposals fundamentally on the Rowell report, which proposed national standards of social and educational services and financial subsidies on the basis of these needs.

2. The Legislature should support the principle that British Columbia was in a different position from any other province in that on the basis of income tax rates of 1941, there were already being collected income, corporation and succession duty taxes of nearly $22 per capita.

3. The Dominion should establish national minimum standards in the realm of labor, social services and education.

4. Ottawa should make adequate provision for unemployed irrespective of time considerations.

5. Treasury bills incurred as a debt owing to proper depression unemployment should be cancelled.

The C.C.F. recognized the needs of the National Treasury and was in favor of centralizing the collection of income and corporation taxes and succession duties, he said, but the province should not be prevented from going into services desired by its people and made possible by its resources.

Response Good in Recruiting Drive

A steady stream of applicants kept R.C.A.F. officers busy all day yesterday at their offices in Room 136, Dominion Hotel, on the opening day of the new air force recruiting drive for air crews.

Selection Officers Fit. Lt. D. J. Patterson and Fit. Lt. R. Lee, who have both had several years' experience, expressed their satisfaction with the first day of recruiting and with the type of applicants. Average was about 18.

Air Force veterans must make application direct to Otta Ottawa. Recruiting will only handle army and navy veterans and raw recruits Persons living out of town may apply in writing to the nearest R.C.A.F. station for application blanks

On completion of the Victoria drive Thursday night the selection officers will proceed to Nanaimo, Port Alberni and Courtenay. Dates will be announced.

Applicants accepted in Victoria go to the Jubilee Hospital Geological centers in Vancouver for medical examination and attestation. Tests are given to all Canadians in the work for which he is best suited.

Probe Too Secret

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"It has lent color, too, to the charge in Labor-Progressive papers in this country, widely quoted in the Soviet Union, that Canada and its Government are engaged in a plot against what they are pleased to call the left wing of the Government or in an anti-Soviet campaign.

"Actually, the fact is that everyone with any sense of responsibility realizes that the peace and welfare of the whole world depends on the ability to establish friendly relations and confidence among the nations and particularly between Russia and the English-speaking nations.

"Lacking this hope of unity, even the United Nations—will be shattered.

"There has been too much secrecy, too much mystery, in the Government's handling of the atomic bomb the public good. The air has been full of rumors—some silly, some well-founded subsequently. This has been bad and indicative of serious leaks from persons who ought be expected to be responsible."

Mr. Coldwell said the arrest of Fred Rose (Lab.-Prog.—Montreal, Cartier), one of those charged with supplying information to Russia, had been forecast a week in advance by London and Montreal newspapers.

SESSION INFORMATION SAID NOT INVOLVED

Mr King interjected he had seen the item referred to in a Montreal paper and it said that a member of Parliament had disclosed information divulged at a secret session. As far as he was aware information given at secret sessions was not involved in the investigation.

The Prime Minister said he was not aware until the Royal Commission's second interim report was made on Thursday that definite action was to be taken against a member of Parliament.

"There have been leaks, but that was not one of them," he said.

Mr Coldwell said that all persons charged under the investigation must be given fair and proper trial. He objected to the use of the word espionage, which meant the spoiling of persons into an enemy country for spying purposes. The investigation was concerned with Canadian and British citizens.

"Quislings and traitors must be punished, but we dare not allow any Government to act except in accordance with the established principles of justice," he said.

IF PERSONS GUILTY MUST BE PUNISHED

"The persons now held are believed to have violated the Official Secrets Act and betrayed their trust. If they are guilty they must be punished. But I have read the report [which last Friday together with the statements of the Prime Ministers and I confess I still have grave doubts concerning the procedures followed in some of the cases. Indeed I don't believe the Prime Minister himself is aware of all that has taken place.

"I hesitate almost to say this because I have confidence in Mr. King, but I was informed by a minister of the gospel last week that a person who had been active in earlier days in Rockcliffe for some time was kept under surveillance and is continuously during six days and nights."

Mr. Coldwell said he telephoned the counsel for one of the persons held and that counsel had heard a similar story from a different person. The excuse was that the lights were left burning to prevent suicide.

EXCUSE FOR LIGHTS NOT VALID IN PART

"Since neither of these persons was left alone, the excuse that lights were kept burning to prevent possible suicide is an excuse that can be applied only in fact. Such methods, if employed, are those of totalitarian states and must not be permitted or tolerated here.

"No one can have sympathy for those who betray the interests of their own people, and for our nationals who betray the rights of our citizenship, but give their first allegiance to any foreign power and that power political and secret activities to its external policies.

"These are Canadians who, if their guilt is properly established, must be dealt with according to law. But it must be in accordance with the law."

He hoped that Justice Minister St. Laurent would have a statement to make on the procedure followed by the commissioners.

Skilled Workers Great Need of Building Trade

Need for skilled mechanics in the construction industry of Canada was stressed by Victor L. Leigh, president of the Victoria Builders' Exchange, at a dinner meeting last night in the Empress Hotel.

He reported on recent Ottawa meetings of the national joint committee of the construction industry, attended by representatives of employers and employees in all provinces.

As a resolution dealing with the skilled help shortage, the national committee urged that the number of apprentices in the construction field be increased to 3,000 per year.

"The displacement of untrained men by trained men will take care of itself in time gone on," the resolution said in part.

It contended that "not less than 140,000 skilled men would be required to carry out the annual programs facing the industry."

This would mean that a total of 22,684 apprentices, covering all branches of the trade, would be required over a four-year period. It recommended that boys be drawn from existing provincial technical or vocational schools.

In connection with Government controls, the conference issued a resolution assuming that "all Federal controls in the industry) be abolished within a reasonable time"

Dealing with wages it urged that "wages should be set at such levels as will best encourage all adequate supply or workmen into the industry and will develop mechanics with ability to turn out the quality and quantity of work to give increased satisfaction to the industry and the general public."

PENSIONERS TO MEET

The Victoria Branch of the Canadian Pensioners' Association will hold its monthly meeting at 225 Pemberton Building, Friday, at 7:30 p.m.

Esquimalt Tax Rate Will Stay 35 Mills

Esquimalt's tax rate will remain the same as last year at 35 mills, it was announced following last night's meeting of the municipal council. Estimates for the year were considered as a committee of the whole and will be passed on to the municipal electors.

There is now a letter from the council objecting to the provincial social service regulations, E. M. McCrossan, municipal supervisor of the social assistance branch, advised that the regulations were a matter of law and could not be compromised for any municipality.

"We are not going to accept this willingly, as they suggest," Councillor J. A. Clinton declared.

The regulations call for a payment by the municipality of 10 cents per capita for the maintenance of social assistance cases.

An offer of ceiling price for a vehicle used as an A.R.P. ambulance was tabled by the council until inquiries could be made as to the value of the car and its equipment. Unless it could be disposed of to the benefit of the municipality it was the opinion of the council the vehicle should be retained.

"We have a hearse hang on to it, there may be another war," commented Councillor C. V. Bishop

DONATION VOTED FOR CELEBRATIONS

The Esquimalt Community Club was given permission to use the Memorial Park for celebrations on May 1, and a donation similar to that given last year was voted by the council.

An offer from the Selective Logging & Construction Company to remove older and larger trees from a section of municipally-owned property was referred to a committee to investigate and report on the value of the timber.

The council decided to ascertain the cost of a fire fighting service policy to protect the municipality if it accepted the offer of the naval service in case of a fire fighting equipment in emergencies. The naval authorities said that previously naval ships would allow their equipment to be used provided Esquimalt would accept responsibility for loss or damage that may be done by the navy fire-fighting while traveling to or from or fighting any outbreak of fire.

Bishop Will Bless Hospital Wing Site

Solemn blessing upon the ground for the new 200-bed wing of St. Joseph's Hospital will be pronounced by Bishop Cody, at 11 a.m. today, the Feast of St. Joseph, Sister Superior Mary Alexandrine announced yesterday

Construction is expected to start in July and will take from a year to 18 months, depending on supplies, she stated. Whittaker, architect, has not quite finished preparation of plans.

Planning for Oak Bay Credit Union

Decision to form a credit union to be known as the Oak Bay Community Credit Union was made by municipal employees and members of the Oak Bay Community Centre at a meeting held last night.

Formation of the organization and election of officers is to be made at a later meeting this week.

Mr. Williams, chairman of the Victoria Credit Union, who was guest speaker, outlined the system under which his own organization operates.

Permission Granted to Racing Association To Hold September Meet at Willows

PERMISSION to the Colwood Park Racing Association to hold races at the Willows fair ground in September was granted by the City Council yesterday on recommendation of the finance committee headed by Alderman Edward Williams.

The resolution stated permission is granted without prejudice to prior sale to any purchaser. In the event the property is sold it will be up to the association to make all arrangements for holding the races with the purchaser.

City Council to Launch Its Own Municipal Inefficiency Check

Furor created in civic circles by Ernest P. Maher's report of the inefficiency of the civic administration simmered down at a meeting of the City Council yesterday.

Recommendations submitted by Alderman H. M. Digpon, chairman of the special efficiency committee, indicated the committee would not hire the George S. May Company, which made the survey, or any other company.

The George S May Company, through Mr. Maher, charged that the civic administration was paralyzed by "flagrant inefficiency" and offered to reorganize the administration for $10 000.

The council approved Alderman Digpon's recommendation that it acknowledge in principle the need of a reorganization and that permission be granted to the committee to go ahead with the project, with the provision that no expense be incurred without the permission of the council.

"It is not our intention to employ experts," Alderman Digpon stated "That was the recommendation of the business association—not ours. If we are permitted to pursue our inquiry I feel we will be able to contribute a great deal."

It is understood the whole question of ability of present employees for their individual job, interdepartmental relations, modernization of equipment and general functional analysis of the administration will also be within the scope of the committee's work.

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In Victoria in the course of a Dominion-wide familiarization tour, junior trade commissioners met Hon. E. C. Carson, Minister of Mines, Trade and Industry. At Carson's left on his desk, from left, are E. G. Rowebottom, deputy minister; R. Campbell Smith, who will go to Cairo; W. E. Jolliffe, to Shanghai; D. B. Mundy, to Liverpool; D. S. Armstrong, to Johannesburg; G. F. G. Hughes, to Glasgow, and G. A. Browne, Bombay. Another member of the party, H. W. Richardson, will go to Bogota, Colombia.

Bracken Asks More Food Production, Retention of Empire Link in Canada

OTTAWA, March 18 (CP).—The Commons, moving at a brisk pace, today heard throne speech addresses by two party leaders—John Bracken, Progressive Conservative, and M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F.—listened to Prime Minister Mackenzie King on the espionage investigation and received the unanimous acclamation for adoption of the address in reply to the throne speech.

The Progressive Conservative amendment, introduced by Mr. Bracken at the conclusion of a two-hour address charged the Government with failure to meet the needs of veterans and workers and with failing to provide suitable housing for Canadians and criticized agricultural and taxation policies.

The C.C.F. amendment, moved by Mr. Coldwell, said the Government in relying on private enterprise had failed to provide a comprehensive national plan to meet present emergency conditions. Such a plan was essential for full employment, the rehabilitation of veterans, provision of housing and the attainment of a high rate of agricultural and industrial production.

Mr. Bracken covered a number of subjects in his address urging expanded agricultural production to meet world food needs and launching a vigorous attack on the Government's housing policy. He dealt also with foreign relations, urging a foreign policy in which Canada's primary link would continue to be with the British Commonwealth.

Mr. Coldwell supported the food conservation plan announced by Mr. King Sunday night.

"I wish he had gone further—prohibited the wasteful use of cereals in non-essential luxuries like liquor," he said. "I can assure him that if food for starving people involves some more rationing in Canada, I believe the people will support any intelligent and necessary steps the Government requests."

He supported the $1,250,000,000 loan to Britain and said it was a recognition that in part Canada's future prosperity depended on the future ability of her best customer to trade with the Dominion. Expenditures in Canada financed by the loan would provide only temporary and partial relief to Canada's unemployment and farm problems. Other more comprehensive domestic policies would have to be provided.

If it were not for artificial light our nights would be devoid of colors, relieved only by a contrast of moonlight and shadow.

Brig. Rodger Becomes Q.M.G. In High Command Shake-Up

OTTAWA, March 18 (CP).—Shifts in the Canadian Army High Command announced tonight by Defence Minister Abbott are

Brig. Elliot Rodger, 38, C.B.E., Chief of Staff of the Canadian Army headquarters at Washington, is promoted to the acting rank of major-general to become Canada's second youngest general and will succeed Maj.-Gen. High Young, 45, C.B.E., D.S.O., as quartermaster general at defence headquarters.

Youngest general in the Canadian Army is Maj.-Gen. Dan Spry, 33, C.B.E., D.S.O.-of Halifax, Vice Chief of the General Staff.

No one has been promoted to succeed Gen. Rodger. It previously was announced that Gen. Young had been appointed vice-president of the Government's housing corporation.

Brig. Harold O. M. Brownfield, 51, C.B., M.C., native of New Jersey and chief of the new Prairie Operational Area Command, is promoted to the rank of acting major-general and appointed to succeed Maj.-Gen. Harold Letson as commander of the Canadian Army Staff at Washington.

Brig. R. O. O. Morton, 51, C.B.E., of Toronto, commander of Military District No. 10 at Winnipeg, will serve as an acting chief of Prairie Command.

SIMMONDS MAY REVERT TO LOWER RANK

This shift may provide a post for Lt.-Gen. Guy Simonds, 43, C.B., D.S.O., of Kingston, Ont., at present engaged in winding up his Netherlands Army Force Command. It adds substance to reports that Gen. Simonds may revert to the rank of major-general and assume command of one of the five new operational commands.

But the post of quartermaster general was previously reported to be going to Maj.-Gen. Chris Vokes, 43, C.B., D.S.O., of Ottawa, at present commander of the occupation force in Germany. This leaves defence headquarters, embarrassed with brass, with a spot to find for this tough fighting soldier. He might conceivably revert in rank and succeed Brig Rodger in Washington.

Gen. Simonds rank and seniority posed somewhat of a problem at defence headquarters where the highest post—that of Chief of the General Staff—already is capably filled by Lt.-Gen. Charles Foulkes, 46, C.B., D.S.O., London, Ont., junior to Gen. Simonds.

Hence it is thought extremely likely the general, keenly interested in field operations, will be offered one of the new operational area commands. And the one which suggests itself most readily is that of the Prairie Command with headquarters at Winnipeg.

This command contains Camp Shilo, Man., where the airborne brigade of 10,000 likely will be trained. This brigade will be the striking head of the permanent army and it would seem logical to give its operational control to a man of Gen. Simonds' calibre.

C.P.R. VETS MEETING

Canadian Pacific Railway Veterans' Association will meet at 2.30 today. A musical program has been arranged and refreshments will be served by the ladies' auxiliary.

Unemployment Figure Again Shows Rise

OTTAWA, March 18 (CP).—The Labor Department, reporting National Employment Offices listed 263,000 unplaced applicants last February 28, said today there was no doubt that Canada's reconversion unemployment peak had been almost reached.

The new figure compared with 223,000 unplaced at January 24, but the department said the increase was below the 31,000 rise during January. Untilled vacancies dropped from 51,000 at January 31 to 47,000 at February 28, due mainly to the end of the Winter logging season.

The department said: "No opportunities for male workers fell from 54,000 at January 31 to 44,000 at February 28, while unplaced male applicants rose from 187,000 to 215,000. The jobs outlook for women, on the other hand, has changed little during the month, untilled vacancies for women increased from 20,000 to 22,000 and unplaced applicants rose from 46,000 to 49,000."

Israelites to Launch Move to Show British "Chosen People"

LONDON, March 15 (Reuters).—A country-wide campaign aimed at convincing the British people they are the "chosen people of God" and descendants from the "lost tribes of Israel" is about to be launched by the British Israel World Federation operating in Great Britain and the Dominions with strong connections in Canada and the United States.

About 40,000 members, spread through the British Isles, Canada, Australia and New Zealand, are convinced that aborigines found in the British Isles by invaders before the Christian era were descended from the Israelite tribe of Judah, one of the many sons of Jacob, and thus were descendants in direct line from Adam.

As proof, British Israelite Plint to obscure historical and Biblical data showing that when Israelites returned to their homeland from captivity in Babylon in 538 B.C., many of them were left behind and considered off through the Crimea into Europe, eventually reaching the British Isles. Most historians have regarded these wanderers as having been "lost."

Tell an average Englishman this and he says he is not a Jew. British Israelites answer that this "unfortunate confusion between Israel and Jewry is the main obstacle to spreading their belief. They claim that Jews are merely one of many races descended from ancient Israelite tribes and that their forefathers were not Semites. Hebrews, say the British Israelites, were straight-nosed and not Semites—but they admit it is an uphill battle to get the man in the street to believe this.

Neilson Heads B.C. Bulb Men

Martin Neilson, of Saanich, was elected president of the recently-formed British Columbia Bulb Growers Association at a meeting last Friday in Burnaby, B.C. J. J. Woods, superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station at Saanichton, and R. J. Hastings, Dominion plant pathologist, attended the meeting.

Directors of the association include R. Woolridge, Saanich; O. A. Vanterpool and J. Holroyd, Gordon Head; J. A. Thompson, Saanich, and J. Everett, Langley Prairie.

The association, which had its start on Vancouver Island, intends to approach the Government and request setting-up of standards and regulations for bulb growing. Among objectives are standardization of grades and prices and certification of bulbs.

At the Theatres

Humphrey Bogart At the Dominion

"It All Came True," based on the Louis Bromfield story and starring Humphrey Bogart and Ann Sheridan, comes to the Dominion for three days.

Playing one of the most delightful characters ever created by Louis Bromfield, Ann is at once bold and beautiful, hot-tempered and honest. She sings, does the rhumba, and "bangs one" on the jaw of a would-be talent scout, all with equal proficiency.

With quaintness and dramatic suspense "It All Came True" tells the story of a group of people who live in a New York boarding house run by ten sentimental old women, using it as a refuge where they can fight off the reality of the present and dwell in the fond memories of the past.

The song, are, "There Goes That Song Again," "You Make Me Dream Too Much," and "Poor Little Rhoda Brand."

Others featured in the picture are Georgia Carroll, Dieke Pendleton, Billy Mason, Ida Kaibbibe and Hardy Babbott from Kay Kyser's band.

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YORK THEATRE Equatorial Africa, with its lush jungles, humid rivers, and sweltering heat, furnishes a shimmering backdrop for sultry "White Cargo," which is now showing at the York Theatre.

It furnished, too, many a problem and many a smile for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer technicians. They enjoyed a field day.

Hottest job on the picture went to Stanley Campbell, make-up man. His duty was keeping the players hot. Campbell used five gallons of glycerine and water to keep the actors photographically steamy.

ATLAS THEATRE Confidential Agent," which ends tonight at the Atlas Theatre, stars Charles Boyer and Lauren Bacall and is set in England in the Fall of 1937. It is a mystery-drama of mood and actions. There were many details for the research department, to settle for the production department. For example, what kind of a washroom would there be in an executive roadhouse on the highway from Dover to London. What did a Spanish passport look like in 1937?

CAPITOL Bruce Bennett plays an important featured role in Warners' "Mildred Pierce," the film version of James M. Cain's action-packed best-seller, currently at the Capitol Theatre. Starred in the film is Joan Crawford who gives an excellent performance. The supporting cast includes Zachary Scott and Jack Carson.

Amusements ON THE SCREEN

Atlas — Charles Boyer and Lauren Bacall in "Confidential Agent."

Capitol — "Mildred Pierce," starring Joan Crawford and Zachary Scott.

Dominion—Humphrey Bogart and Ann Sheridan in "It All Came True."

Oak Bay and Plaza—"Scarlet Street," starring Edward G. Robinson and Joan Bennett.

Rio—"Carolina Blues," starring Kay Kyser and Ann Miller.

York—"White Cargo," starring Hedy Lamarr and Walter Pidgeon.

"Carolina Blues" Stars Kay Kyser

"Carolina Blues," Columbia Pictures' Kay Kyser musical currently starring the "Ol' Professor" with Ann Miller and Victor Moore at the Rio Theatre, is graced by six songs created by that well-known team of songwriters, Sammy Cahn and Jule Styne.

The song, are, "There Goes That Song Again," "You Make Me Dream Too Much," and "Poor Little Rhoda Brand."

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Sex Education Being Studied

Department of Education central curriculum committee is considering ways and means of making sex education part of the regular curriculum in schools of the Province, John Clough, Saanich municipal inspector of Schools told Saanich School Board last night.

In the meantime, he said, schools wishing to give sex education must obtain special permission from the department. Permission of parents for their children to attend must also be obtained.

The School Board decided to advise the Strawberry Vale and Royal Oak Parent-Teacher Association that it was sympathetic toward resolutions by those two branches that sex education be embedded in the curriculum.

Dismiss Appeal On Liquor Charge

Judge H. B. Shandley in County Court yesterday dismissed the appeal of Jimmy Yanda from conviction and fine of $300 or three months at hard labor on a charge of unlawfully keeping liquor for sale.

Yanda was found guilty by Magistrate Henry C. Hall in city police court on February 7.

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Governor-General Departs

Canada said farewell over the week-end to the distinguished couple who have occupied Rideau Hall with grace and dignity during the past five-and-one-half years, his Excellency the Earl of Athlone and H.R.H. Princess Alice. Following a lifetime spent in the service of the Empire as soldier and diplomat in many fields, the Earl and his Countess will return to England to enjoy the respite from official duties that their devoted service has earned them. The large audience that gathered in Ottawa last Saturday to watch the Governor-General lay a wreath on the National War Memorial, his last official ceremony, was testimony to the esteem that his tenure of office has engendered throughout the Dominion.

Allied with the Royal Family, their Excellencies have perpetuated the close link with Canada strengthened so enthusiastically by the visit in person in 1939 of the King and Queen. The Earl has proved himself a worthy representative of His Majesty during the war years that filled practically all of his term of office. Without undue pomp and ceremony, he has fulfilled the varied and onerous duties that are the lot of the King's representative with admirable tact and understanding. He has travelled the length and breadth of the country on several occasions, and has taken a leading part in all activities that came within his constitutional sphere. In similar fashion, Princess Alice has devoted herself to worthy causes and given unstintingly of her time and talents to the general welfare.

While preparing to greet the renowned and victorious army commander who is to succeed the Earl of Athlone as Governor-General, Field Marshal Viscount Alexander, Canadians will say farewell to Their Excellencies with heartfelt goodwill. Unselfish stay in Canada for the past five years is replete with many pleasant memories, and that they may long be spared to enjoy the evening of lives filled with kindliness and service to others will be the universal wish.

Missing the Point

Greater Victoria communities, if one regards what is said by some of their leaders, would seem to have missed the point of Attorney-General Maitland's proposal for the creation of an unified British Columbia Police morocide squad. It is precisely in this area that the recoil of serious crime detection has been lamentably weak in the opinion of the taxpayers. That condition is about to be a new one, bnt goes back some considerable distance into the past. It is completely idle to talk about a "metropolitan area" when these local communities steadily, persistently and stubbornly refuse to unite as one or to adopt metropolitan ways.

The condition today, and it is the same one we have known for a good many decades, is that the law has borders in Greater Victoria, but crime has none. Unsolved case after unsolved case could be resurrected from the records, as they remain in the minds of the citizens. We blame no individual or police organization. We believe, and have said often enough, that the fault appears to rest in lack of co-ordination, insufficient facilities for crime detection, and lack of interest on the for those who have little opportunity to specialize in that work. The record is clear, and it is not a satisfactory one. Too often the law has been impotent, too often the perpetrator of a serious crime has escaped.

Mr. Maitland's proposal that in capital crimes the British Columbia Police step in and assume the conduct and the cost of the investigation, and add in all other police forces as required—is a sensible and a generous one. If the Greater Victoria Municipalities do not consider it, they are missing the best opportunity they have had offered to them in years. This is no time for wounded pride or "metropolitanitis." It is a time for action. Action of a sobrr and level headed kind is being suggested by the chief law officer of British Columbia. Will Greater Victoria act?

Our William and Sir John

A radio newscaster, reading what had been prepared for him by The Canadian Press yesterday, said that it had been left to an United Kingdom newspaper to comment on the fact that Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King, Prime Minister of Canada, will, if the Creator is willing, surpass the length of time in office of Sir John A. Macdonald in June of this year. The statement is not clear in that Mr. King has already permitted his friends to comment at some length on that prospect, and some newspapers in this country have already done so. It is the comparison, however, which draws attention

Sir John, being dead, can hardly be expected to continue in the race. Mr. King may, indeed, run out the length of his days in office until they are a few more than were those of the famous Canadian statesman and Father of Confederation. In a personal sense we hope that he does Politically, however, we think that history is quite unlikely to mention our William and Sir John in the same breath, if indeed in the same volume. Length of days in the prime ministership they may one day share, but there the comparison would seem to end.

Sir John united Canada under Confederation. He grew to the stature of a statesman, and a fine one. He was beloved in the land. His name has grown, and not lessened, with the years. He was of himself a colorful, forceful and energetic figure. No man ever needed to doubt what he meant, or to guess at what he might do. Under Sir John bi-lingualism did not swrp Canada Under him there were no "bilocal" armies.

Under him a young, sparsely settled and ill-protected land grew into a great Dominion from "sea to sea."

Upon one occasion Sir John made a comparison between himself and a certain Mr. Brown. We doubt if he were living today he would bother to make any comparison between himself and our William. History, we are certain, will not.

If, however, statesmanship rests upon mere length of days in office, here is the official record: Sir John A. Macdonald, prime minister from July 1, 1867 (a date history knows well) to November 6, 1873, and again from October 17, 1878, to June 6, 1891. Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, prime minister between December 29, 1921 and May 28, 1926: between September 25, 1926 and August 7, 1930—and again from October 23, 1935, onward to the present date. June 25, 1946, may mark another day in the life of that nation. but we doubt if history will pause long over that.

Strange Policy

During the war there was established under the aegis of the Department of National War Services a National Film Board, which produced a great many films, and distributed films on behalf of all Government departments or divisions. It made documentary films for showing in factories and in other places and distributed for reproduction photographic prints to newspapers and other publications, of official national events and personalities On the whole it did creditable work, albrit some of its photographs had an academic aspect at variance with wartime needs

Since the operations of the National Film Board were financed by the taxpayer, its production was distributed free of chargr. Now it appears that a change of policy has taken place Photographs are being sent to newspapers and magazines with invoices attached, although the pictures are still of official national content. It would be interesting to know the justification for this change of policy Why should pictures or literature publicizing activities of the Government be a further charge on business oi individuals' The film board's product is the propesrty of the Canadian taxpayer, who has already purchased it, and it is difficult to understand why a second charge should be made The pictures, also, are of an official nature, and as such belong in publicity to such agencies as are equipped to bring them to public notice.

It is noticed, too, that the Film Board is indulging in a practice similar to that adopted by some private concerns, and equally undesirable. It accompanies unsolicited prints with an inunction that if unused and not referned within a certain period they must be paid for. This practice has no legal validity whatever. No obligation rests upon individuals or organizations to return something for which they made no request. No one should know that better than officials of the Government. The National Film Board would do well to revise its new policy. It will not work.

Seen in Passing

Nothing of importance will ever come to man through the operation of the "herd" mind. Human skill and ingenuity are individual possessions. and it is the divergence between individuals which enriches the world.

It can be reasoned with some confidence that the immortal injunction to love one's enemies did not extend to self-immolation because they wantrd all of the living space on this planet at one time

Very few mortals would ever think of a Saturday night out if they Monday. Tuesday. Wednesday. Thursday and Friday nights had in them something a little more human and congenal. A home was meant to be an inner repository of happinest. but sometimes it is not.

Reveille

Wake the silver dusk returning
Up the beach of darkness brim
And the ship of stillness burning
Strands upon the eastern rim.

Wake: the vaulted shadow shatters,
Trampled to the floor it spanned.
And the tent of night in tatters
Strown the sky-pavilioned lands

Up, lad, up, 'tis late for lying
Hear the drums of morning play.
Hark, the empty highways crying
"Who'll beyond the hills away?"

Towns and countries woo together,
Forelands beacon, belfries call;
Never lod that trod on leather
Lived to feast his heart with all

Up, lad: thews that lie and cumber
Sunlit pellets never thrive;
Morns abed and daylight slumber
Were not meant for morn alive.

Clay lies still, but blood is a rover;
Breath's a ware that will not keep.
Up, lad: when the journey's over
There'll be time enough to sleep

—A. H. HOUSMAN

New Flying-Boat

By E. C. SHEPHERD,
North American Newspaper Alliance

LONDON, March 18 (By Cable)—There has been an unconfirmed rumor that the British Government intends to stop work on the big Bristol airliner, the Brabazon 1st. This would be serrious unless something comparable could take its place. The Bristol liner was expected to be ready for trans-Atlantic service in 1948.

Big aircraft now being built in the United States for commercial service probebly will be a year or more ahead of this but Britain, acknowledging that serious handicap in commercial aircraft, had commissioned the Brabazon 1st as the type capable of handling some of the heavy traffic on the Atlantic run.

The Brabazon 1st would accommodate 100 passengers and could cruise at 250 miles an hour, nonstop between London and New York. It that project should be abandoned, Britain would have no alternative prospect of a big load carrier in 1948.

Lack of engines yielding high output has retarded the development of the big airliner. In the latest design, the Brabazon 1st was to have used 8 Centaurus engines of 2,500 h.p. each. The most powerful engines now specified for United States airliners are 2,200.

With the successful development of the gas turbine engine there in Britain, that limitation is passing Turbines of high power are ready and their consumption rates are such that they can be considered not only for jet propulsion, but for driving familiar airscrews at cruising speeds below 300 miles an hour. TWO CLASSES OF AIRLINERS

Two classes of airliners thus present themselves to designers—a fast, medium-sized type using the gas turbine and capable at 500 miles an hour or more, and a big liner using gas turbines to drive the usual screws and to give an extra thrust from the residual jet. In the latter type, about 80 per cent of the turbine-generated power will be applied to the airscrews and the remainder being expressed in jet reaction. Such a type of airliner is believed in Britain capable of delivering 2,000 h.p. to the airscrews and 1,000 h.p. in the form of static thrust besides. Higher powers should be available before long

Plans are already in hand for replacing the Cunarder Queens which were originally specified, with the gas turbine. Meanwhile, airflight practice has been prepared for a 1,000 mile airliner using still more powerful gas turbines.

This provides for a 100-ton flying boat carrying 160 passengers for a stop from England to New York at a cruising speed of over 200 miles an hour. There is in the British tradition. Since 1926, Britain has been operating a fleet of commercial flying-boats on the Indian, Australian and South African routes.

Britain experience with this ample experience with flying boats of about 50 tons loaded weight. They could reasonably be expected to make good use of a much bigger class of flying boats.

On the Atlantic crossing, flying boats are prevented in Winter by ice in the harbors from plying to and from the sea. In the past five years British Overseas Airways Corporation has built up a considerable flying boat services into Baltimore. Hitherto, the somewhat higher cost of the flying boat's hull handicapped it in competition with the land plane and plants in the bigger sizes, this disparity is less marked

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As far as can be seen at present, this is Britain's only chance of building a flying boat fleet before 1950. Other designs are coming forward but none seems likely to result in placing a large order 'off the drawing-board.' The flying-boat involves fewer difficulties, particularly in the matter of bases.

THANK GOD THAT WE HAVE HANDS WITH WHICH TO GIVE!

Churchill Describes His Escape From Death

When Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill, former Prime Minister, was in the United States on a lecture tour in 1931, he arrived in New York from Havana by plane, and for an automobile on Fifth Avenue. At that time, Mr. Churchill was out of office, devoted all his energies and interest. With Mr. Churchill again in America, it is interesting to recall how he was knocked down by a motor car in the streets and cannot Britain cease to losing this leader, who has contemplated the possibility of the end of civilization.

By WINSTON CHURCHILL
North American Newspaper Alliance

NEW YORK.—I had finished dinner and was inclined to go to bed with a bad attack of mine rang up and suggested that I should go and talk to his house. He was Bernard Baruch, who was the head of the War Industries Board during the first years I was Minister of Munitions.

I did not know the exact number in Fifth Avenue of my friend's house. I knew it was somewhere near 110th and I thought if I probable could pick it out from the windows of a cab.

We soon arrived, as I supposed, at about the 90's and I told the cabman to stop where he was on the central park side of the avenue—I would walk across the road myself and inquire at the most likely house.

I no sooner got out of the cab somewhere about the middle of the block and told him to wait, when I instinctively turned my eyes to the right, being a landlover. About 200 yards away, were the yellow headlights of a swiftly approaching car. I thought I had just time to cross the road before it arrived, and I started to do so.

Suddenly, upon my left, I was aware of something utterly unexpected, and boding smortal peril. It turned my head sharply. Right upon, and within his own length away, was what seemed a long dark car coming forward at full speed There was one moment—I cannot measure it in time—of a vast glare, of a huge menace.

I certainly thought quickly enough in actions of the idea, "I am going to be run down and probably killed." The second idea was, "I feel it on my forehead and across my thighs. But besides the blow there was an impact, a concussion and I remember nothing violent.

Mario Consalvo, the driver of the medium-sized automobile, was on his proper side of the road and perfectly antitled to make the best speed he could, when suddenly a car figure appeared immediately in front of him. He applied all his brakes and at the same moment, before they could act, he struck a heavy body. There or four feet from the right-hand wheel lay a black shapeless mass.

He found a loud cry.

"A man has been killed!"

Meanwhile, I had not lost consciousness for an instant.

Somewhere in the black boundry toward which the passers-by are running there is a small chamber of sensitive life. It is orderly and undisturbed. There sits enthroned a mind apparently intact and unshaken. Before it is a keyboard of levers or buttons directing the body. Above a whole series of loud-speakers report the sensations and experiences of the Empire controlled from this tiny headquarters. In this mind is no possession of the following conclusion:

"I have been run over by a motor car, Ameriy. I never knew the catastrophe Perhaps it is the end."

The reader will observe from that authentic record that I experienced no emotion of regret or fear. I simply registered facts without, except for a general sense of disaster, the power to moralize upon them.

But now, wave upon wave of consolatory, painful sensation began to flood into this small room, preventing thought, paralyzing action, impose to comprehend.

I had for instance, no knowledge whether I was lying on my back, or side, or face. How long this period lasted, I cannot tell. I am sure that from the time I was struck down to when I was lifted into a car was perhaps but a few minutes.

A policeman is bending over me. He has a book, quite a big book, in his hand

"What is your name?"

"Winston Churchill"

"What is your age?" asked the officer, adjusting his fine intention.

"Fifty-seven," I replied, and at the same moment was struck enough thought obtruded itself upon my mind. "Here am I, a man of affairs, down in the street by a motor car. I shall have a very poor chance of getting home."

I was lifted by perhaps eight or ten persons to the floor of a taxicab all was in order in my inner sanctum, but I had not until then realized fully how the keyboard of life.

I now saw, as I lay on the floor of the cab, both my hands, very white and covered with blood, lying across my breast. So I decided to give them an order to move their fingers, and at the same time I pulled the levers which affect the toes. Neither hands nor feet took the slightest notice.

I now became, for the first time, seriously alarmed The impression, "crippled for life," registered itself in the sanctum.

So we rumbled on. And then a most blessed thing happened. I began to experience violent pins and needles in both my upper arms They hurt intensely, but I did not mind, because at the same time I found my fingers beginning to move in accordance with my will. Almost immediately afterwards the toes responded to my orders. Then swiftly my waves of pins and needles, all mixed, agonizing in their intensity, warmth, life and obedience began to how back into the whole of my trunk

By the time we pulled up at the hospital I had the assurance that, although I might have an arm or a leg or two broken, and was certainly bruised and shaken, the whole main structure of my body was sound.

At last we arrive at the Hospital, and soon I am on a bed.

Reassuring words are spoken. I see a beloved face. My wife is smiling. In the background there looms the grave, vernerable countenance of Bernard Baruch. "So I ask

"Tell me, Baruch, when all is said and done, what is the number of your house?"

"Ten fifty-five."

"How near was I to it when I was smashed up?"

"Not within ten blocks "

Such, in short, were my experiences. I suffered from nothing except pang, mental and physical, that a life-long devotion to pedigree flesh is nondorable. There is neither fear nor resentment left over anti-pain. There is no room for remorse or fears.

Fat the rest—free dangerously! Take things as they come! Dread naught! All will be well!

Sunrise and Sunset

MARCH

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1946

Date	Rise	Set	Date	Rise	Set
1	6:56	17:57	17	6:26	18:31
2	6:54	17:58	18	6:24	18:32
3	6:53	18:00	19	6:22	18:34
4	6:51	18:01	20	6:20	18:35
5	6:49	18:02	21	6:18	18:36
6	6:48	18:03	22	6:16	18:38
7	6:46	18:05	23	6:14	18:39
8	6:45	18:06	24	6:12	18:40
9	6:43	18:07	25	6:10	18:42
10	6:41	18:08	26	6:08	18:43
11	6:39	18:10	27	6:06	18:44
12	6:38	18:11	28	6:04	18:46
13	6:36	18:12	29	6:02	18:47
14	6:34	18:13	30	6:00	18:48
15	6:32	18:15	31	5:58	18:50
16	6:30	18:16			

Astronomical Office, Observatory Building, Victoria, B.C.

Letters to the Editor

We refer to the editor will be limited to short letters, preferably not exceeding 300 words in length. Unpublished letters will not be returned.

GREAT WAR VETERANS

Sir:—Your editorial with the very apt heading "Forgotten Men" has awakened some people to the fact that some of these old heroes still exist, although relegated to the limbo of the past. You might have carried this further and asked why the old W.V.A. men get the scurvy deal they do? Why they should have to stand practically hat in hand to receive their small pittance each month? Why they are badgered by Pension Board investigators to see if they are able to make a dollar or so at odd jobs? Why they are subject to fines and deductions for income tax? Questions of this ridiculous act? Why they have to fill out, sign, and attest a yearly questionnaire which in its complication would do credit to any secret police force in Europe? The man fought in the same war as the disabled pensioners; took the same chances and went through the same hardships. Why do these men not receive a disability pension instead of an allowance? The majority of them are disabled all right, much of it through the hardships undergone in the Great War. The public as a whole is ignorant of the workings of this shameful piece of legislation, and the unfortunate recipients are either inarticulate or afraid to protest. They are pariahrs in the "Forgotten Men." There are surely men in Canada big enough, powerful enough and disinterested enough to force a straight pension for these old veterans, many of whom are their old battalion mates and make them feel that Canadians still have a warm feeling for those who did their best for Canada in their youth.

(Mrs.) ETHEL RUTHERFORD
Grange Harbor, B.C., March 10, 1946

Ladysmith Veterans

LADYSMITH, March 18.—Ladysmith Branch, Canadian Legion, is considering ways and means of acquiring an upstairs hall on High Street, measuring 26 by 50 feet. E. McDonald was named second vice-president, and Keith Gourlay treasurer at a recent meeting. The Red Cross was granted use of Legion Hall for its membership drive.

Observation Car

By G.R.

A toastmaster rose at a dinner to introduce the principal speaker, and after a few well-chosen words ended by remarking: "Gentlemen, you have just been giving your attention to a turkey stuffed with sage. Now you will listen to a sage stuffed with turkey" . . . I predict the cost of living will show a considerable increase before the end of the year

The medical health officer told the City Council yesterday citizens would be still more necessary if anti-rabies orders were carried out on the Sooke watershed. In 1936 the City Council made plans for electric lighting in the same area, and that time experts consulted made no mention of the necessity for chlorination . . . Great Britain plans to encourage tourists from Canada, the United States and Europe next year in an endeavor to secure $600,000,000 in foreign exchange . . . Automobile licences have been increased 56 and drivers' licences 81 in Saskatchewan

Clothing and shoes have been taken off the list of rationed goods in Sweden. Coupons are still required for butter, sugar, lard, pork, soap and bread . . . The University of Pennsylvania is experimenting with a "compound known as Butin, extracted from pigeon's blood. It is believed to strengthen weak blood capillaries during treatment for high blood pressure . . . Priest of beef, veal, lamb, mutton, pork and sausage will be increased in the United States next month . . . In the British Isles parents of juveniles who get into trouble are fined. Those interested in juvenile delinquency here might do well to study the system.

CJVI to Expand Musical Library

An additional 4,000 transcribed musical selections of every description will be added to the library of radio station CJVI within short time, it was announced Ar present the station has nearly 18,000 such recorded selections, including popular and classical music and sound effects.

Tides at Victoria

MARCH

	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
1	3:58	0.1	7:31	7:51	8:5	12:37	1:8	19:1
2	4:38	0.1	7:31	8:17	8:5	13:19	1:8	19:4
3	5:14	0.2	7:31	8:43	8:5	14:0	1:8	20:0
4	5:48	0.4	7:32	9:10	8:5	14:41	1:8	20:3
5	6:19	0.6	7:33	9:38	8:5	15:23	1:8	21:0
6	6:50	0.8	7:35	10:6	8:5	16:6	1:8	21:3
7	7:20	1.0	7:37	10:35	8:5	16:50	1:8	22:0
8	7:50	1.2	7:40	11:5	8:5	17:36	1:8	22:3
9	8:20	1.4	7:44	11:36	8:5	18:23	1:8	23:0
10	8:51	1.6	7:49	12:7	8:5	19:11	1:8	23:3
11	9:24	1.7	7:55	12:39	8:5	20:0	1:8	
12	10:0	1.8	8:2	13:12	8:5	20:49	1:8	0:0
13	10:39	1.8	8:11	13:46	8:5	21:38	1:8	0:3
14	11:22	1.8	8:22	14:20	8:5	22:26	1:8	1:0
15	12:8	1.7	8:35	14:54	8:5	23:13	1:8	1:3
16	12:58	1.6	8:50	15:27	8:5	23:58	1:8	2:0
17	13:52	1.5	9:8	15:58	8:5			

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th meridian west. It is reckoned from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet above the average level of the lowest tides, which occur at the ordinary spring tides. The datum plane is 9.6 feet in the height of high water as above given.

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Daily Colonist of March 19, 1921

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FIFTY YEARS AGO

From The Daily Colonist of March 19, 1896

The City—Mr. Churton, Humboldt Street, has resumed the business of a grocer's farmer. Formerly he supplied many of the log-

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

From The Daily British Colonist of March 19, 1871

Notary—His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Edwin Johnson of the firm Pearkes & Johnson, of this city, a notary public.

Rowebottom New President of Y.M.C.A.; Paulding Resigns

E. O. Rowebottom, provincial deputy minister of trade and industry, was elected president of the board of directors of the Y.M.C.A. at a meeting held yesterday. He succeeds W. T. Straith, K.C., M.L.A., who held the position for the past three years.

J. V. Johnson was elected, vice-president; Ernest Harrison, treasurer, and J. A. Heritage, recording secretary.

To recommend a site for the proposed new building, a committee was appointed consisting of Mr. Johnson, Mr. Rowebottom, Warren W. Martin, Ray Parfitt, Mr. Straith and Frank Paulding.

Directors received with regret the resignation of Frank Paulding, general secretary of the organization for the last 16 years. The resignation will take effect September 30, when Mr. Paulding will be eligible for superannuation.

Prior to coming to Victoria, Mr. Paulding was for 12 years general secretary in New Westminster, and for one year community Y.M.C.A. secretary in Olds, Alberta. During the Great War he served overseas with the Canadian T.M.C.A. for three years.

Well known as a director and organizer of local financial campaigns, Mr. Paulding's latest success was the Kiwanis Club's drive for $40,000 for the new maternity wing at the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

A successful teacher of public speaking, Mr. Paulding has for many years past heard and criticized an average of over 1,000 speeches each winter.

Twice a Kiwanis president, he held that office in New Westminster in 1922 and in Victoria in 1945.

E. O. ROWEBOTTOM

May Lift Sugar Ration in 1947

There is a possibility sugar rationing in Canada may end in a year to 18 months, said C. W. Rostomar, Montreal administrator of consumer rationing for all Canada, who paid a one-day visit to Wartime Prices and Trade Board rationing offices here yesterday.

It takes two years for a sugar crop to mature, he pointed out. Sugar planted last Fall after "V-J" Day in the Philippines and other East Indian islands would begin to come on the market within two years.

The Canadian butter ration will be restored to six ounces a week on May 1, he said. He listed two reasons for butter shortage. Exceptionally low production last year and return of 900,000 Canadian servicemen from overseas.

Five canning sugar coupons will become valid in May, he said, and five more in July, making the year's total 18 pounds.

Mr. Rostomar was accompanied by K. J. Hargreaves, assistant deputy administrator of consumer rationing, Calgary, and O. R. Bell, regional superintendent of rationing, Vancouver. Meeting this week in S. F. Wood, foods rationing officer here, Rostomar recently returned from a conference of food rationing officers of the western region in Calgary.

Wants Victoria to Use Daylight Time

A recommendation that daylight saving time be instituted in Victoria regardless of the action taken by other centres was contained in a letter to the city council yesterday by H. R. Kerr. Since there was little likelihood of action on the part of provincial or federal governments, Victoria should go ahead on its own like Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, a number of other centres had done in the past, he suggested.

Again Remanded on Manslaughter Count

James P. Brown, who was charged with manslaughter following an accident on the night of March 2 at Wilson and Catherine Streets involving the death of Patrick J. Kerria, was again remanded without plea until Monday by Magistrate Henry C. Hall, in the city police court yesterday morning.

Senior Citizens See Movie Program

Residents of the Aged Men's Home enjoyed the showing of a film Friday evening. The entertainment was in charge of O. R. Webb and D. B. Gregson of the Oak Bay Community Centre.

Langford Community

Langford Community Club will hold a "Klondike" celebration in Colwood Hall next Thursday and Friday at 8 p.m. Proceeds will go toward the building fund. H. W. Legault, R. Evelyn, B. Bayles and John Bullen will be in charge of arrangements.

First publication of a monthly bulletin on club affairs will be published next week, Neal Keating of the club will be held on April 12.

New Main at Sidney

SIDNEY, March 18.—Replacement of a water main from Fifth Street and Beacon Avenue to the waterfront, will be commenced by Sidney Water Board as soon as weather conditions permit. The board recently purchased 725 new water meters at a cost of $1,800.

Victorians on Uganda Help Magdalena Bay Natives

FIRST call of her Latin American training cruise was made by the cruiser H.M.C.S. Uganda at Magdalena Bay, Lower California, Mexico, where she spent more than a week in exercises. The village of Bay Magdalena benefited from the visit by obtaining the services for the first time in years of doctor, dentist and priest. The ship's company gave the villagers 800 pounds of used clothing. The priest was Chaplain (R.C.) J. H. Laporte, R.C.N., of Montreal, the doctor was Surgeon-Commander J. D. Maclaren, R.C.N., of Victoria and Edmonton, and the dentist was Captain E. B. Hooks, C.D.C. (N.), of Toronto. R. B. A. Frank Oliver, Victoria, was the first time in 11 years a priest had visited the village. Above, native woman visiting Uganda's clinic ashore explains her trouble through Jerry Peabody, a San Diego Mexican who acted as interpreter. Centre is Surgeon Lieut. F. C. Jones, R.C.N., Toronto, and, at left, L.S. B. A. Frank Oliver, Victoria.

Continue to Seek Daylight Saving

THE executive director of the Federation of Mayors and Municipalities has been advised M. F. Hunter, city clerk, that a third resolution has been sent to the Federal Government asking institution of compulsory daylight saving time throughout Canada April 30 to September 30.

Two Automobiles Are Damaged in Collision

Considerable damage was sustained by two automobiles early yesterday morning when they collided at the intersection of Fernwood and Blanshard Streets. One, being driven east on Bellamy Terrace by Arthur R. Beech, 2146 Earl Grey Street, collided with another being driven north on Blanshard Street by Arthur A. McConnell.

City and District

To Hospital—Alderman F. O. Mullinet will enter Jubilee Hospital Wednesday to undergo a minor operation.

Windows Scrabbled—City police received a report yesterday morning from the owner of Gurney's grocery store, 1802 Cook Street, that someone had scrabbled the store windows with a diamond.

Materials Fined—Ten motorists each paid $2.50 fines in city police court yesterday for infractions of parking regulations, and another three were fined $5 each for breaking various traffic rules.

Building Permit—The city building department issued a permit yesterday to Charles Mullins for construction of a paint store and office at 1964 Fort Street, at cost of $13,500. E. H. Lungy is named as contractor.

Bail Estreated—Three Indians and two whites forfeited bail totalling $80 because they failed to appear in city police court yesterday morning to answer charges of intoxication. Bail of $10 was estreated in the case of each Indian, and the whites forfeited $20 each.

To Pay for Damage—Gordon Mathieson, a soldier charged with breaking a plate glass valued at $52 at 1622 Government Street, was fined $20 in city police court yesterday morning. He is also to pay for the window.

First Grass Fire—Saanich had its first grass fire of the season yesterday when a field at Tillicum Road and Maddock Avenue became ignited at 12.47 p.m. Not extensive, it was soon extinguished by firemen.

Youth Apprehended—A 14-year-old youth was placed in the hands of the city juvenile officer after being found by city police in an amusement shop at 1307 Broad Street early Sunday morning. A window measuring six by four feet had been smashed.

House Entered—Theft of glassware and other articles from a new house at 3641 Rosebury Avenue has been reported to city police headquarters by Mrs. R. H. Irwin, 623 Nelson Street, who has made use of the kitchen and the basement, reported Mrs. Irwin, who believe it to be the work of juveniles.

Will Remove Fairs—Alderman J. O. Mullinet, chairman of the city electric light committee, announced yesterday that the B.C. Telephone Company had agreed to remove all their poles when the Blanshard Street improvement is started. The B.C.E.R. previously agreed to remove their poles. The committee now has to have all electric and telephone lines underground on this street.

Seek Improvements—The Local Council of Women has written to the City Council urging the need for better sanitary and sanitary facilities on beach from Clover Point to Dallas Road. "We claim the section of the public using these beaches should have the same consideration as football players for whom army huts and showers have been urged and support obtained," the letter states.

City Council Still Studying Logging of Sooke Watershed

Suggestions that selective logging and reforestration be carried out on the Sooke watershed, submitted to the city council yesterday by Alderman J. A. Worthington, were tabled for further consideration.

Alderman W. L. Morgan pointed out that a similar plan for selective logging was approved by the council some years ago and was later turned down at the instigation of a group of citizens.

The council was dealing with matters involving a million dollars, he suggested, and more information should be available before any action is taken.

Opinions expressed by several aldermen indicated that, in accordance with Alderman Worthington's recommendation, a careful survey by a qualified forester would be a necessity.

Alderman Worthington stated some action was imperative.

Windfall timber in the area at present was the worst sort of fire hazard, he pointed out. If a spark were to ignite forests the whole timber stand might be lost, with resulting harm in the watershed.

Although logging of the Goldstream area some years ago was done in a manner that would break your heart," it had now been well cleaned up and 150,000 to 200,000 seedlings had been planted, he stated.

Shortage of City Wood Unanswered

Charges that a considerable quantity of city-owned wood from Carbally yard had "gone up in smoke" remained unanswered yesterday when Alderman H. M. Diggon, chairman of the fuel committee, told the City Council he had a report ready, by the request of Alderman W. L. Morgan he would delay presentation of the report.

Alderman Diggon stated Alderman Morgan had been absent from the city and did not feel he had an opportunity to prepare a report presenting his side of the story.

Weather Forecasts

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with showers in early morning, cloudy to overcast with light rain in afternoon and evening, moderate southerly winds.

North Coast of Vancouver Island—Overcast with rain in early morning, cloudy southeasterly in early morning.

Vancouver and vicinity—Clear in morning, cloudy with light rain in afternoon. Light winds becoming moderate southeasterly by evening

Stolen Bicycle Smashed by Train

The stolen bicycle was found quickly enough—but it wasn't of much use then to the owner, A. C. Elphick, 211 May Street.

The theft was reported to city police Sunday morning, and within a few hours the bicycle was located on the tracks of the E. & N. Railway. A train had run over it.

3RD BATTALION

A number of old comrades of the 3th Battalion, C.E.F., who gathered at Veterans' of France Friday night decided to postpone their annual meeting and election of officers. Members will be notified by mail of the new date, to be set some time within the next two weeks.

Announcements

May-June Session for st-service personnel at Victoria College. Subject to sufficient registration in each case, the following courses will be offered: Biology 1, chemistry 1, English 1, English 2, French 1, engineers' German, history 1, and psychology 1. Fees will be $46 per course—second and $30 for one. The session will extend from May 6 to June 28, inclusive. Registrations must be accepted up to May 1.

St. Louis College St. Patrick's Day tea Sunday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. Pepper, 1038 Pemberton Street, 818, Marjorie Peters, general delivery, 16, Mrs. Grant, 146 Joseph Street; 35, Mary Brown, 810 Caledonia Avenue; 35 Mrs. Ryan, 2764 Quadra Street; 45 scrip, Mrs. Hanson, Windermere Hotel; 45 scrip, Mrs. E. K. Young, 68 Government Street; $2.50 scrip, Mrs. D. Lorrer, R.M.D. 4, Box 326.

Alcoholics Anonymous — Are you an alcoholic? Does liquor control you and cause you embarrassment, loss of friends, relatives or position? There is a solution to your problem and if you really want help, the Victoria Group of Alcoholics Anonymous will give free and confidential assistance. P.O. Box 1, Victoria.

B. H. Nuffield, income tax accountant, announces that his office has been located at 706 Fort Street (cars of Bowes Bros., Ltd.). The development of business has returned it to April 30 next. Do it now and avoid the rush

Victoria Musical Art Society. Recital by members of intermediate and junior groups. Vocal, instrumental and speech. Empress Hotel, Wednesday, March 27, 1946, p.m. Guest tickets, 75c, children, 50c. Fletcher Bros Music Store.

Capital City Temple No. 35, Pythian Sisters, K. Patrick's tea, Knights of Pythias Hall, Broad Street, 2 to 5 p.m., 25c. Door prize, sale of work, home cooking. All welcome

General Meeting of the Citizens' Rehabilitation Council tonight at 8 o'clock in the City Hall. The public is invited

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Cancer Deaths Can Be Cut in Half if All Facilities Used

If the knowledge of cancer diagnosis and treatments and the facilities now available were utilized to the full, it would be possible to reduce cancer deaths by more than 50 per cent, Dr. G. F. Amyot, provincial health officer, told the legislature's health, welfare and education committee yesterday.

He declared that if people recognized the possible symptoms of cancer, go immediately to a doctor and insist that something be done, hundreds of thousands can live out their full span and die of old age instead of falling victim to cancer.

One of the biggest problems was to bring about full utilization of the facilities now available, Dr. Amyot said. He estimated that it would take five years of intensive campaigning to break down fear of cancer.

In reply to a question by Mrs. Nancy Hodges, committee chairman, as to whether he considered the situation warranted establishment of a special cancer hospital, Dr. Amyot said it would be better for existing hospitals in larger centres to set aside beds for cancer cases, thereby avoiding costly duplication of services.

THREE GROUPS ACTIVE IN FIGHTING CANCER

Outlining the scope of the present cancer campaign, Dr. Amyot said three groups were actively engaged —the cancer committee of British Columbia Medical Association, the British Columbia Cancer Foundation, and the Canadian Cancer Society.

The foundation was making investment available in Vancouver for cancer sufferers from all parts of the province, both those who could and those who could not pay. The Provincial Government had supplied the equipment and loaned it to the foundation, at a cost of some $20,000.

In addition, Dr. Amyot said, the province had for the past three years met the deficit of the foundation, amounting to some $15,000 last year. This year $25,000 had been provided in the estimates to expand the foundation's work still further.

The Canadian Cancer Society, reorganized since the war, was about to launch a campaign for membership to extend its work all across Canada, Dr. Amyot announced. All money raised will be expended in the province in which it is collected. Main object of this society is to acquaint the people with the cancer problem and to educate them to the need for early treatment.

IMMEDIATE ADVICE URGENT REQUIREMENT

"The biggest problem is to make people aware of what might be symptoms of cancer and seek immediate advice," Dr. Amyot stressed.

Discussing hospitalization, he stated British Columbia was unique in Canada in that no governmentaided hospital could refuse to admit a patient on the ground that the patient could not pay for service. His said this Province had a steadily improving record in maternal and infant mortality.

Stating the current trend in treatment was to reduce the time a patient spends in bed, Dr. Amyot said emphasis on public health services and on such centres as the Red Cross housekeeping service might be well worth while.

Arthritis will be discussed by Dr Amyot when he next meets the committee

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Social and Personal

Mr. Michael Ley has returned to Victoria after visiting at Campbell River, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Huntingford.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Smith, who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. A. J. Smith, Calgary, returned to Victoria on Sunday.

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Mrs. Reginald Freeman has returned to Victoria after a visit to Hall-Spring Island, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pryce, "Merenide."

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After six weeks at her home, "Barnsbury," Hall Spring Island, Miss Bryde Wilson returned Saturday to Victoria, where she is the guest of her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. May Morris.

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Mrs. Jo Collins entertained the Governors' stenographers on the occasional staff at the tea hour at the Empress Hotel on Saturday afternoon. Miss Paddy Greenwood presided at the tea table.

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Mrs. T. A. Quigley, Nelson, is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas, Prior Street, while Mr. Quigley is attending the dancing being held by the Provincial Police.

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Mrs. J. E. Holme, who with her two children, has been at Garage for over two and a half years, arrived Sunday to rejoin her husband, now in Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. Holme will make their home at Dunbar Street.

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Guests from out of town attending the Dumbery-Shirreff nuptials on Saturday evening were Mrs. J. Minard and her daughter, Miss Olive, and Miss Evelyn Minard, Mr. and Mrs. I. Minard, Mr. B. Burble, all from Port Alberni.

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After two and a half years in Halifax N.S. and for several months in Victoria, Miss Christine Rudolph, who recently received her discharge from the W.R.C.N.S., has left for her home at Claxgen, where she will spend the summer with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Rudolph.

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Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward will be among the special guests when the Naval Officers' Association of British Columbia entertains March 26 at a Naval Ball at the Commodore in Vancouver. Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Victor Brodeur will be among the guests from Victoria.

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Mrs. A. W. Jones, 1160 Rockland Avenue, will be hostess on Thursday afternoon at a St. Patrick's tea, the invited guests being the members of Christ Church Cathedral Wednesday Afternoon Branch of the Women's Auxiliary and their friends. An attractive display of Dorcas work, contributed by the members, and featuring one branch of their various activities, will be shown.

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Friends paid a surprise visit to Mr. and Mrs. R. Coles, Gorge Road West, on Saturday evening, to celebrate their 20th wedding anniversary. An enjoyable evening was spent playing games, and supper was served at midnight. The self-invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. B. Noel, LL.-Com. and Mrs. D. Decker, Capt. and Mrs. L. Gillard, Lt. and Mrs. J. W. Greene and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hardy.

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Capt. and Mrs. Frank Norton and young son, Tom, have recently returned to Victoria and at present are guests of Mrs. Norton's cousin, Mrs. R. C. Pettingal, Powell Street. Capt. Norton, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. A. Norton, 939 Pemberton Road, has been with the army for three and a half years. Before Capt. Norton's service overseas, Mrs. Norton and Tone lived with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hales, in San Francisco.

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Visitors at the Empress Hotel yesterday included Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Boswell, Hamilton, Ont.; P.O. and Mrs. O. A. Wishart, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fairbairn, Clarenholme, Alta.; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sinclair and Mrs. J. C. A. Gordon, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; Mrs. H. J. Anderson, Everett, Wash.; Maj. and Mrs. P. W. Chilgren, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Purro, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Tubbs, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Edgar, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lynch, wife, Mrs. Lynch and son, Warren, of Sherbrooke, Que.; Dr. and Mrs. B. Cormier, Quebec City; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. C. Smith, Toronto.

Mrs. Phipps Re-elected Regent of Municipal I.O.D.E.

MRS. A. H. C. Phipps was re-elected regent of Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., for the fourth consecutive term at the 34th annual meeting held recently in Bishop Cridge Memorial Hall.

In her regent's address, Mrs. Phipps thanked the members for their devotion to duty and co-operation during the year and also commended the primary and junior chapters on the splendid work of their leadership. Mrs. Phipps referred to the magnitude of the work done by the I.O.D.E. and the still ever-growing need for expanding their efforts.

She extended personal thanks to each of her officers. A lovely bouquet of flowering blossoms was presented to Mrs. Phipps.

OTHER OFFICERS ELECTED

Other officers elected were Mrs. Walter C. Nichol, first vice-regent; Mrs. C. G. Bishop, second vice-regent; Mrs. C. H. Cross, secretary; Mrs. P. Cunningham, treasurer; Mrs. F. P. Beckett, educational secretary, Mrs. P. E. Dowdall, postmaster-corresponding secretary; Mrs. E. E. Wootten, echoes secretary, and Mrs. A. E. Maingrise, standard-bearer. Convener of standing committees will be elected at a meeting of Municipal Chapter next Tuesday at headquarters at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. C. H. Cross, secretary, reported that there are 13 primary and two junior chapters with a total membership of 400 members, under jurisdiction of Municipal Chapter. During the year a number of resolutions were brought before the chapter and dealt with through the proper channels. Various projects were undertaken and the chapter sponsored the Point garden party at Government House, the proceeds being $4,052.86, which were distributed among the chapters.

During the Summer, a drive by Municipal Chapter named E. Burke Memorial Cancer Fund raised $1,942.31. Donations made to the Salvation Army, Queen Alexandra Solarium; milk provided for underprivileged children; layettes to needy families; assistance to patients in the Jubilee Hospital; Tin Pavilion and to the blind were some of the special works of the chapters.

SPENT $27,000 ON WAR WORK DURING 5 YEARS

The war service convener, Mrs. F. S. Dowdall, reported that a total of $28,000 had been spent during the war years, and $3,544.86 during 1945. This included the making of 1,403 garments for the services; 1,007 for civilian relief—most areas, and leather jerkins, sweaters, etc., for men on ships, clothing to Polish relief, as well as sorting of thousands of magazines for the services libraries, and the making of 807 quilts.

Reports of the primary and junior chapters were given at the morning session. Other municipal officers giving reports were Mrs. E. E. Wootten, Echoes, and Mrs. F. E. Dowdall, standard-bearer.

Reports submitted by convenors of standing committees were as follow: I.O.D.E. service fund, Miss M. Holmes; child and family welfare, Mrs. George Jay; education in India, Mrs. R. Shallcross; Girl Guides, Mrs. O. Lille; distributed visitors, Mrs. D. J. Mugford; Navy League, Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps; immigration, Mrs. F. P. Beckett; Provincial Council, Mrs. H. Lethaby; ex-service personnel, Mrs. T. Lumsden; educational fund, Mrs. Peter Bell; films, Mrs. W. L. Williams, Empire study, Mrs. J. D. Pemberton; Junior War W.P.T.B., Mrs. W. Wrosier; War Savings Stamps, Dilodi; transportation, Mrs. E. Eve.

Mrs. Phipps has appointed delegates to attend the Provincial annual meeting next month.

Tea was served during the afternoon and among the special guests attending was Mrs. Percy F. George.

Little Stories for Bedtime

By HOUGHTON

WHITEFOOT SEEKS ADVICE

Whitefoot the White Mouse was tired and frightened and homeless. Early that morning he had been driven from his home in a hollow log by Shadow the Weasel. He started out in the world to build a new home, and he had walked and walked, but nowhere had he found a place that looked really safe. Whitefoot had not forgotten the advice of Bridget Chipmunk, to build his house where no one would think of looking for it, but how could he find such a place?

Pretty soon Whitefoot met Johnny Chuck. Whitefoot admired Johnny Chuck in surprise. "Aren't you lost, Johnny Chuck?"

Whitefoot shook his head. "No," said he. "I'm not lost, because I haven't any place to be lost from."

"What do you mean by that?" asked Johnny Chuck.

"I mean that my old home is no longer my home, for Shadow the Weasel has found it, and I do not dare go to go back there. So now I am looking for a place to build a new home. Oh, Johnny Chuck, do you know of any place where no one would think of looking for a home of mine?"

Johnny scratched his head and then looked at Whitefoot very hard. Indeed, for Johnny Chuck is a very obliging little fellow. "I must say I don't know," "I don't believe I do. I tell you what, let's go over and see Grandfather Frog. He is so old and wise that he is sure to know."

Whitefoot agreed, so off they started for the Smiling Pool. Whitefoot had never been there before, and he kept close to Johnny Chuck's coattails all the way there. They found Grandfather Frog sitting on his big, green lily-pad just as usual.

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He heard them coming through the bulrushes.

"Johnny Chuck! Why, what brings you down here today?" asked Grandfather Frog.

Johnny Chuck explained. Whitefoot's difficulty. Grandfather Frog listened very attentively.

"Now what would you do?" concluded Johnny Chuck.

"Chuggrum! How should I know?" replied Grandfather Frog in his deepest and gruffest voice. But all the time there was a twinkle in his big goggly eyes as he watched Whitefoot's face fall.

Just then a foolish green fly came within reach of Grandfather Frog. His big mouth opened wide, the fly disappeared and Grandfather Frog patted his white and yellow waistcoat as if something inside felt very nice indeed.

"It seems to me that if I was in the habit of living in hollow trees or logs and wanted to make a pea where no one would think to look for it I'd hunt up some old house that is supposed to be deserted and I'd move in there and let anyone know that I was living there," said Grandfather Frog, and as he spoke his eyes were twinkling more and Mrs. Redwing's old nests in the rushes.

Whitefoot saw the nest and a great idea came to him. "Thank you, thank you, Grandfather Frog!" he cried. "I'm going to do just that thing."

Next story: The Sky Parlor of Whitefoot the Wood Mouse.

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Y.P. Organizations

Meeting of Christ Church Cathedral opened with President Margaret McCulloch in the chair. Next meeting will take form of a social. Initial presented by Group I, under Miss Gwynned Hughes.

Dental Corps W.A. Is Disbanding

Twenty-two members of the Women's Auxiliary to the Canadian Dental Corps gathered at luncheon in Spencer's private dining-room on Monday for the purpose of meeting for disbanding. Mrs. J. C. Foote presided. The activities of the group have included visits to patients in hospitals, distribution of cigarettes and woollen socks to troops going overseas. Christmas gifts and magazines to men in hospital, Christmas, cigarettes and parcels sent monthly to all officers and men overseas, and the making of scrapbooks for overseas.

Mrs. R. F. Nickels, treasurer, reported a total of 400,000 cigarettes and 271 food parcels sent overseas, as well as 351 knitted articles. Total expenditures during the four years the auxiliary was in existence were $2,832.12. A bank balance of $435.81 has been placed in trust to aid veteran patients upon completion of the new veterans' hospital.

The president thanked all members for their unfailing support, and votes of thanks were also extended to Mrs. J. C. Foote and Mrs. J. Dinsey Johnson for their untiring efforts while president of the group.

Also present at the meeting were Mrs. A. F. Salter, Mrs. A. S. Webster, Mrs. Smith Little, Mrs. T. Walters, Mrs. E. H. Griffith, Mrs. J. Grant, Mrs. H. C. Gill, Mrs. W. R. London, Mrs. R. Malcolm, Mrs. W. R. Campbell, Mrs. P. J. Rumball, Mrs. E. S. Pywell, Mrs. W. Hillier, Mrs. C. B. Mesher, Mrs. Hugh Clarke, Mrs. C. S. Jameson, Mrs. W. N. Cumming and Mrs. H. R. Turner.

My Neighbor Says

Always cool the filling for a cream pie before putting into the pie crust and before putting on the meringue. This will prevent a watery layer forming under the meringue.

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FOR BETTER RESTAURANTS

NEW DELHI (CP)—A governmental-sponsored restaurant is planned here to spread knowledge of nutrition among the people and raise the hygiene standards of commercial restaurants generally. Balanced meals will be served to the general public at cheap rates.

Lodge Celebrates 25th Anniversary

The 25th anniversary of Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, was celebrated Friday evening at a banquet held at Terry's. Lodge colors, red and white, were carried out in the decoration and the head table was centred with a bowl of red and white carnations. The birthday cake, donated by Mrs. M. Raines, was cut by Mrs. E. Jane. Three charter members, Mrs. E. Restell, Mrs. H. Graham and Mrs. E. Wolfe were presented with corsages. Mrs. Restell gave a brief outline of the early start of the lodge and Mrs. Quinn, a member for 46 years, also spoke.

A short business session after the banquet was followed by a dance and cards in the R.O.E. Hall.

For Brides-Elect

Miss Winnifred Knapton, an April bride-elect, was guest of honor at a tea-table shower held on Saturday evening by Miss Betty G. Hamilton, Suite B, Ambassador Apartments. The bride was presented with a corsage bouquet and received her pretty gifts on a tea tray. Miss Beatrice Mullow presided when a buffet supper was served. The invited guests were Mrs. William Rutherford, Mrs. Norman Bent, Mrs. Reg. Hunt, Mrs. E. Wolfe and Misses Kay Knapton, Beatrice Mullow, Ellen Ward, Margaret Hamilton and Sergeant Iris Kirby.

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Weddings

DAMERY-SHIRREFF

The marriage of Alice Isobel Sidgwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shirreff, 2 Alma Place, to Corporal Albert George Damery, R.P.C.L.I., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Damery, Port Alberni, was solemnized at a pretty ceremony on Saturday evening at First United Church with Reverend Hugh A. McLeod officiating. Mr. J. Ingram presided at the organ and during the signing of the register Mrs. J. McGregor, aunt of the bride, sang "A Perfect Love." The bride, who was given away by her father, was attired in a floor length Princess style gown of ivory satin with short train, a shoulder length veil arranged under a Mary Stuart headdress, and carried a bouquet of red rosebuds and white carnations. Mrs. William Cockxell, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor, in a floor length pink silk gown with bell-cuffed sleeves, a matching Juliet cap with blue flowers, and carried a bouquet of blue irises. Miss Anne Damery, sister of the groom, as bridesmaid, wore a long blue taffeta gown with short sleeves, blue Juliet cap trimmed with pink flowers and had a bouquet of pink tulips to match her ensemble. The bride's groom had his brother Mr. Tom Damery as best man, and the ushering duties were performed by Mr. Mickey Damery, brothers of the bridegroom. A reception for sixty guests was held at the home of Mrs. J. Myrtle, 4 Alma Place. The three-tiered wedding cake was cut with a souvenir "Command" knife. For a honeymoon trip to the United States, the bride traveled in a navy blue tweed suit with white topcoat and black accessories. The couple will make their home in Victoria for the present.

P.-T. Associations

Tolmie P.-T.A. will meet in this school's assembly hall at 8 p.m. Mr. J. Gough will be guest speaker.

At the meeting of the Langford P.-T.A. Lawrence read a detailed report from the Victoria and District council on the national service revue, the reading material for which will make lively home reading for the present.

Chemainus News

Mrs. T. McEwan presided over the March meeting of the hospital auxiliary when two new members were welcomed. The sewing committee reported 12 gowns completed. Workers are needed to make up quantities of drawsheets, bed jackets and gowns.

The buying committee reported the purchase of a new rug for maid's room, new toaster needed for the kitchen and a clothes hooper also material for gowns and linens.

March meeting Pythian Sisters, May Temple, held a whist and bridge following the routine business. Mrs. Korvial is arranging for a conducted tour of hospital to visit Union Bay, April 5, when a new Chapter Pythian Sisters will be instituted.

Fourteen tables of cards were in play. Mrs. A. Cross and Mrs. A. Wilkinson won.

Bridget was later served by Mrs. J. Wyllie and her committee.

LIVERPOOL, England (CP)—After completing nearly 50 years at sea during which time he commanded Britain's largest liners, including the Mauretania, Olympic and Queen Mary, Capt. K. N. Pell has retired.

To Model Smart Spring Fashions

Mrs. Ian McCallum, left, and Miss Margaret McMartin pictured in two of the smart fashions which they will model at the Spring fashion show and tea being held at the Arcadia Wednesday afternoon. Proceeds of the show, which is sponsored by Camosun Chapter, I.O.D.E. will be used to furnish the endowed room in the new Maternity Wing of Royal Jubilee Hospital. A dance will follow in the evening from 9 to midnight. Best Humphries' orchestra providing the music. Wynne Shaw's dancing pupils will model bathing suits at the afternoon show which is from 3 to 5:30 p.m.

B.C. Food Survey Shows Not Enough Vegetables Eaten

By HELEN BANNERMAN
Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, March 18 (CP).—A 10-year-old in Vancouver who painstakingly filled out a chart showing all the foods he ate in a week may not know it, but he is helping to revolutionize the eating habits of a country.

A unique nutritional survey, devised from two years' study of the best features of similar surveys in the United States and Britain has just been completed in the British Columbia centres of Vancouver, Nanaimo, Vernon, Prince George and Abbotsford. Proved successful in British Columbia, these survey methods now are expected to be used to help raise health standards in other provinces.

The methods are the brain-children of Dr. L. B. Pett, chief of the Health and Welfare Department's Nutrition Division, and Dr. F. W. Hanley, the Division's medical officer.

Designed to help find those sections of the population needing improved nutrition, there will probably be work in the areas covered by it for some years through instruction of individuals examined and through special talks to groups. Dr. Pett said Canada's interesting task in this field will be unique.

Of the 1,800 school children between six and 10 who were examined, the investigating team tried to pick out approximately 100 in each school in order to get a representative cross-section.

Before the six-week intensive campaign began, much preliminary work was done by the British Columbia Provincial Health Unit and the Metropolitan Health Unit of Vancouver and the Red Cross.

MENU TABBED

Workers of those agencies got the co-operation of each child's parents to keep a chart of his menus for a week. The child himself filled out a weekly record of the kinds of food he ate at meals and in the snacks—but did not keep track of the quantity, since it was felt this might be an unreliable record at best.

Results of the charts were tabulated by means of the punch-card system of Canada's Food Rules. In general, there was a shortage of vegetables other than potatoes revealed and whole-grain cereals and "protective" foods were found to be eaten in insufficient quantities.

After this work was done, the Nutrition Division's team arrived to do the main work of the survey at the invitation of the British Columbia Health Department. It was headed by Dr. Hazel Taylor of the three weeks and by Dr. Pett for the latter half and included a nurse, Miss E. M. Perkins, and a laboratory specialist, Miss F. MacPher, both of Edmonton.

The children got their parents' permission for a medical examination and their height and weight was noted. The investigators paid special attention to the parts of the body most likely to show some deficiency—the eyes, skin, tongue, gums, eyes, lips, skeleton system, teeth and posture.

If the child was coughing they took a special look at his chest and throat and made other tests if they were needed.

A few drops of blood were taken from the finger up of each child and this sample was analyzed for iron. Then the blood serum was packed on dry ice and flown to Ottawa where it was further analyzed for vitamin C and protein content.

Plans for a series of Canadian nutritional food levels were drawn up before the war by Canadian Council on Nutrition, but had to be shelved until hostilities ended.

Cowichan Shamrock Tea a Success

DUNCAN, March 17 — Over a hundred attended the shamrock tea given Saturday afternoon by the W.A. to the Canadian Legion. Mrs. W. Denina, the president, was general convener, and the decorations were the work of Mrs. George Kerbest. Mrs. A. J. Cradle was tea convener and was assisted by Mrs. R. C. Mainguy, Mrs. J. Low, Mrs. F. W. Prochazka, Mrs. C. Frghwater, Mrs. E. B. Fox, Mrs. A. Hardy and Miss P. Smith. Receiving were Mrs. C. Armour, Mrs. D. Douglas and Mrs. W. J. Cummins. Mrs. C. E. Bradley sold tea tickets.

An apron stall, in charge of Mrs. Harold Jackson and Mrs. W. Wilson, proved popular. A prize for the best apron was won by Mrs. G. G. Bass.

Miss May Tombs, Alex Vance and Jack Jenkinson sang Irish songs, accompanied by G. Boyce. Mrs. J. Matthews gave two monologues. The sum of $72.25 was cleared.

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Mr. Colvin Drake is spending two weeks at Calgary, visiting his father, Mr. A. W. Drake.

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Societies

Women's Union of First Baptist Church will meet Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

St. Martha's-in-the-Field W.A. quilting meeting Tuesday evening in the Parish Hall.

The social meeting of Primrose Lodge No. 22, Daughters of England, will be held Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Next social and business meeting of the W.A to the P.P.C.L.I will be held Friday, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. C. Pelly, 909 Esquimalt Road.

The Army and Navy Women's Auxiliary will hold a business meeting tonight at 8 p.m. at 301 Union Building.

The regular meeting of St. John's Evening Branch of the W.A will meet this evening at 8 p.m. in the guild room.

The regular meeting of the Overseas Wives' Club will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Y.W.C.A. Refreshments will be served.

Centennial United Church Ladies' Guild held a successful St. Patrick's luncheon on Friday. Rev. Ashford introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Hollings.

At a meeting of the St. Matthew's Ladies' Guild plans were made for the annual shamrock tea to be held today in Legion Hall at 2:30 p.m. Contests and a musical program will be provided while tea is being served.

Carse Rebekah Lodge No. 46 met recently in the I.O.O.F. Hall, with Sister Marjorie Brown presiding. Five hundred followed the business meeting. Next meeting will be held Thursday, at 8 p.m.

Britannia Lodge No. 216, I.O.B.A., will meet Tuesday at 8 p.m. All past mistresses are asked to attend the first meeting of the P.M. Club to be held in the small hall March 26, or contact Mrs. I. Burt, Beacon 6230, or Mrs. M. Paterson, E 5470.

Miss Marjorie McDougall was introduced as a new member at the meeting Monday evening of the Solarium Junior League. Mrs. L. F. Dunn was in the chair and Miss Peggy Wharton, convener, reported progress on plans for the April shower of linens. Miss Mabel Coverdale reported on the Victoria Little Theatre, and Miss Mary Smith reported $6.50 collected from penny boxes. The members decided to sponsor a dog show, in connection with the Victoria Kennel Club, on April 20. Plans were also discussed for an early Summer garden party.

The sum of $66.60 was realized at the Red Cross tea held recently by the L.A. to P.O.E., Acme No. 12. Mrs. Jessie Taylor was convener for the affair, which was opened by Alderman Margaret Christie. At the guest table, with Mrs. Flora Levy, mother of the society, presiding, were Mrs. Thelma Simmons, president; Mrs. Rose Beckerley, Mrs. Ivy Baines, Mrs. Ivy Easler, all past presidents, and Mrs. Taylor. Mrs. Lyndia Wright and Mrs. Maggie Hughes were in charge of the decorations; door and tea tickets, Mrs. Eleanor Thomas and Mrs. Eda Griffin; cashiers, Mrs. L. Wright; serving, Mrs. Molly Brown, Mrs. Amy Sauters and Mrs. Agnes Paulson; kitchen, Mrs. Millicent Steele, Mrs. Elizabeth Row, Mrs. Olive Sandford, Mrs. Gladys Kennedy and Mrs. Muriel Lewis. Entertainment was provided by Dianna McPherson, Jacqueline Hingley and Beverley Ivey, pupils of the Wynne Shaw School of Dancing, accompanied by Mrs. McPherson at the piano.

Women's Institutes

The meeting of the Royal Oak Women's Institute was held recently with Miss K. Oldfield presiding. Final arrangements were made for the daffodil tea to be held April 4. It was decided to form a rhythm band for the Royal Oak and Prospect Lake school children. It was also decided that a resolution be sent to Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., confirming the stand she has taken with regard to asbestos literature. Mrs. W. Shorrock reported on the Royal Oak P.-T.A., and it was decided to endorse their resolution with regard to sex education in the schools. Mrs. C. T. Oaskell and Mrs. E. Cooper were hostesses.

CRAIGFLOWER W.I.

Mrs. R. Wellham presided at the meeting. Thursday afternoon, or Craigflower W.I. Mrs. W. E. Mitchell gave an interesting talk on penal reform. Mrs. W. Rankin was appointed delegate to the Provincial W.I. Convention. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. J. Albury, Mrs. M. Warren and Mrs. V. Williams.

Alberta Bill

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Mr. Manning emphasized that the certificates will authorize a corporation sponsoring amount of credit deposits. They are not intended to replace currency but rather as a means of expanding credit.

The bill is not an attempt to infringe upon banking or currency matters.

Desiling and crediting will be carried on by Government institutions or their agents. The credit certificates will authorize the institutions to expand their credit. Nothing is proposed which would upset the "normal method of transacting business."

The Premier said that to enable the citizens of Alberta to enjoy the property and civil rights which accrue to them under the British North America Act, access to the use of their own credit must be provided.

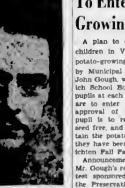
If aggregate purchasing power at any time exceeds the collective prices of goods for sale, measures to correct the situation are provided by the bill.

Credit certificates may be withdrawn from the credit institutions, subsidies to reduce prices may be reduced or withdrawn; taxation for transfer to the credit of the consolidated credit adjustment fund may be increased or social security pensions may be reduced.

The validity of the act will be referred to the Supreme Court of Alberta before it is proclaimed.

OLABOW, Scotland (CP) — At the end of 1945 ships totalling 1,612,810 gross tonnage were launched, 1,930,000 were under construction in Britain and Northern Ireland.

Hits Stage Critics



MAXWELL ANDERSON

Prominent Broadway playwright, raps at New York theatrical circles by challenging the right of newspaper critics to decide whether a play is good or bad. He said advertisements be announced under the heading of the production "because the critics didn't give it a chance to find its audience." He said critics, as a group, have power which they are not qualified to exercise "either by their training or by their taste."

Infant Spends Night in Woods

A two-year-old baby, William Huddlestone, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Huddlestone, of Courtenay, spent Sunday night lost in the woods near his home while a search party of 140 Cumberland miners scoured the countryside for him.

He was found at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, curled up beside a bush and none the worse for his experience. British Columbia Police headquarters in Victoria was advised.

The child wandered away at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The search party was organized soon after he was missed, fanning out in all directions from the Huddlestone home, and was continued throughout the night.

City Council News Briefs

Authorization was given to Alderman J. A. Worthington, C. M. Irwin, city engineer, and E. MacDonald, waterworks superintendent, to attend a convention of waterworks officials in Geairhard, Oregon, May 23 and 24.

On recommendation of the health board, the City Council agreed to add $400 to the amount left by the Hatch estate to make a sum sufficient to pay salary and transportation of a nurse for the well-baby clinic, provided the province and surrounding municipalities agree to grant proportionate amounts based on the 1941 census of population.

Appointment of Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson to the post of medical health officer, effective April 1, was confirmed.

A grant of $400 was made by the City Council yesterday for a contour survey of the proposed airport site at Gordon Head. Alderman B. J. Baldwin, chairman of the airport committee, said the survey would be done in co-operation with Saanich and Oak Bay.

A grant of $200 to the Victoria sports committee for the annual school sports day was approved.

A request from the Imperial Oil Company, Ltd., for re-zoning of property at the southwest corner of Johnson and Cook Streets to allow construction of a garage and service station was referred for approval to the town planning commission, with a recommendation that a by-law rezoning zoning be prepared.

On recommendation from C. M. Irwin for a $4,643 improvement to Maddock Avenue to allow use of 18 city-owned lots was approved. The improvements include hard surfacing the road at a cost of $1,380, installation of a storm sewer, $1,250, and a six-inch water main, $1,800.

Grant of $75 was made to the Victoria Camera Club for the sixth international salon to be held in Victoria during October.

Tenders for stationery totalling $657.72 from Dagge-Hibben, Ltd., were accepted on recommendation of the finance committee. It was the lowest tender offered.

Contract for painting the interior of the Market Building was granted to P. Clarkson at a price of $643, the lowest tender.

On recommendation of the parks committee the council accepted a tender of $2.75 each for 1,000 flowering trees from E. H. Lohbrunner. The trees will not be ready for delivery for four or five years.

The council approved a recommendation that the city's share of sale receipts at the Royal Athletic Park on Empire Day, March 30, be granted for assistance of the junior and juvenile soccer leagues.

The council will seek support from the Union of British Columbia Municipalities in obtaining power to deal with nuisances described as "eyesores." The action followed a report from A. J. Pirkon, city solicitor, that the city had no power to take action against a property owner on Queen Street whose lot contains a number of wrecked cars.

FOLDING PROTECTION

Plastic rainwear weighing only about six or eight ounces is foldable into a size that can be carried in a pocketbook.

Saanich Pupils To Enter "Spud" Growing Contest

A plan to enter Saanich school children in Victoria Rotary Club's potato-growing contest, put forward by Municipal Inspector of Schools John Gough, was approved by Saanich School Board last night. Four pupils as each of seven outer schools are to enter the competition with approval of the principal. Each pupil is to receive ten pounds of seed free, and will be allowed to retain the potatoes he produces after they have been on exhibit at Saanichton Fall Fair.

Announcement was also made in Mr. Gough's report of an early contest sponsored by the Society for the Preservation of Native Plants on the subject, "How May Canadians Conserve Their Natural Resources."

Good progress is being made in preparation for school music meets, Mr. Gough reported. Meets are to be held at Mount View all day and evening on April 16 and 17; at Mount Newton, afternoon and possibly evening of April 12. Teaching material in connection with a good posture campaign is being made ready for distribution, he reported.

A questionnaire dealing with use of the public library sent to all schools, Mr. Gough reported, showed the following facts: 53 teachers borrow books for classroom use; teachers borrow books about ten times a year, 30 to 40 at a time; 18 per cent of pupils have library cards and use them regularly.

On Mr. Gough's recommendation, the board decided to co-operate with Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council in an effort to see that parents are advised in June of school books to be bought by children for the following September.

Employment Official On Inspection Visit

L. L. McPhail, Ottawa, assistant supervisor, operations branch, Unemployment Insurance Commission, is in town today after a brief visit of inspection to the Unemployment Insurance Commission office here. He has been a guest at the Empress Hotel.

MEETING CANCELED

The monthly meeting of the Oakford Community Club will not be held this month, owing to the staging of the Klondike night celebration and dance Thursday and Friday nights in Colwood Hall.

Municipalities Stand by Union Proposal

Utility companies were prepared to "get together" with the Union of British Columbia Municipalities to discuss taxation of pole lines, it was suggested when they appeared before the Legislature's committee on municipal affairs yesterday, but union representatives declined to accept it. They stood by a union resolution asking that power lines be taxed on the basis of actual value.

The whole problem was left in the hands of the municipal affairs committee, with no indication of probable outcome.

Senator J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., for the B.C. Electric Railway Co., Ltd., and B.C. Telephone Co., Ltd., suggested that the report of the Coldenberg commission might affect the final decision. But Mayor Patty E. George said that the commission was confined to provincial-municipal relations and that pole line taxation would be outside its scope.

The municipalities, he said, took the stand that they were not receiving fair returns from pole lines in comparison with taxes paid by home owners.

Senator Farris declared the utility companies were flatly opposed to taxation on actual value. There should be no change in the 30-year policy of low taxation to encourage extension, he argued.

He stated, supported by A. E. Grauer, executive vice-president of the B.C. Electric, that the company was already paying taxes on land over which lines passed either in the form of rental paid to the owner of the land, or direct taxation where the corr vary owned the land.

CONTENTS MUNICIPALITIES "LOOKING FOR RELIEF"

Senator Farris contended the municipalities were "looking for relief" and that the purpose of the Coldenberg Commission was to establish relations based on the Province and municipalities, which would provide the needed relief. It should not be passed on to utility companies.

Both Senator Farris and Mr. Grauer argued vigorously against any change in the principle of taxation prevailing for the past 30 years, under which power lines were assessed and taxed on a fixed sum per mile.

The only basis "to approach equity is on actual value," replied R. R. P. Sewell, Union of Municipalities' secretary.

How to arrive at actual value produced another hour's inconclusive discussion.

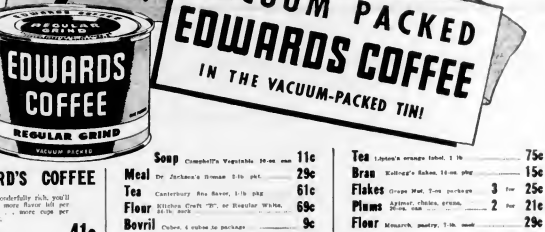
Committee members suggested care should be taken to avoid taxation which would restrict extension of rural and telephone services to outlying sections of municipalities. Others said city residents should not have to pay the cost of rural extensions.

Proposal of Mr. Ross, Okanagan Telephone Co., Ltd., that the whole thing be shelved for a year, while companies and municipalities arrived at an agreement, fell on deaf ears.

Harvesting of Kelp Will Be Licensed

An amendment of the Fisheries Act providing for licensing of the harvesting of kelp and other aquatic plants was introduced in the Legislature yesterday by Hon. C. S. Pearson, Minister of Fisheries. The bill was given first reading.

Drying effects of yesterday's warm spring sunshine had repercussions in Beacon Hill Park at 1:25 p.m. when a hedge at the bowling green caught fire. It was extinguished by firemen.



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Coffee Kenka regular 1-lb. jar ... 53c
Molasse Domedon, 16-oz. can ... 29c

Tea Lipton's orange label, 1 lb. ... 75c
Bran Kellogg's Bakon, 14-oz. pkg. ... 15c
Flakes Grape Nut, 7-oz. package ... 3 for 25c
Plums Aylmer, choice, prune, 20-oz. can ... 2 for 21c
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Use enough coffee in your coffee maker. As a general rule, for average strength, if rounding tablespoon or 2 level tablespoons for each standard 6-ounce cup of water.
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Fred Rose in Seat, Number of Accused Present for Spy Talk

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statement, I had given out, but which did have this significant paragraph in it, that the Russian Government admitted that the military attache had taken a course of action here which was, I think the term used was, inadmissable, and that he had been recalled to Russia.

"May I say that in the course of this inquiry three or four other persons have since returned to Russia from the Russian Embassy, that was at the instance of the Russian Government itself."

All this, said Mr. King, brought up the very large question of re-lations between Russia and Canada.

Some persons may feel that we ought to sever, relations, as they would say, by having the Russian Embassy withdraw from Canada. I hope that no view of that kind will be expressed by anyone in a responsible position.

Mr. King said the Government had launched the inquiry on the basis of documents obtained in the Soviet Embassy here, and added:

"These documents disclosed that Canada was being used as a base to obtain information on matters of very great importance to the United States and Great Britain."

SITUATION AS SERIOUS AS ANY IN HISTORY

Mr. King described the spy investigation as "serious a situation as existed in Canada at any time."

Speaking in the resumed debate on the Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne, Mr. King began his long-awaited statement on the inquiry and related the steps leading up to the launching of it last October 6.

As he spoke, Fred Rose, Labor-Progressive member charged in the investigation, sat quietly to his seat and a number of those accused of participation in the ring and now out on bail were in the thronged public galleries.

Mr. King said he was under a "serious" handicap in making a statement on the inquiry as the matter was sub judice. For that reason, he was unfortunately unable to give information he would like "very much to impart" until those charged had their trial before the courts.

FEET TO DISCUSS EARLY MATTERS

However he felt he was free to discuss anything which took place before the Royal Commission was appointed February 5.

Mr. King said he did not think he could do anything better than to quote the second paragraph of the first interim report of the Royal Commission, which said the evidence showed that a network of undercover agents had been established by members of the Soviet Embassy under direct instructions from Moscow.

He said this showed the "gravity" of the situation and its "far-reaching importance," and told how the Government first became aware of the espionage activities.

On the morning the last session opened September 7, Igor Gouzenko, Russian cipher clerk, had gone to the office of Justice Minister St. Laurent and stated he had in his possession documents which showed existence of a very serious situation in Canada.

Gouzenko told his story to the Minister's secretary. The information was passed to Norman Robertson, Undersecretary of State for External Affairs, who sought advice from the Prime Minister.

Mr. King said his advice was for Gouzenko to return to the Russian Embassy. He did not want to do any act that would lead Russia to believe Canada suspected her in any way. Mr. King said he did not know the nature of the documents in Gouzenko's possession at the time.

GOUZENKO WAS IN CANADA TWO YEARS

Gouzenko had been in Canada for two years associated with the Russian military attache. Previously he had been in the Secret Service of Russia and was well informed as to affairs of that kind.

The documents he brought to the Justice Department were taken from vaults of the Russian Embassy and furnished others he had collected from time to time.

Mr. King went on to detail Gouzenko's movements prior to and after his visit to Mr. St. Laurent's office. On the day previous to that visit he went to the office of The Citizen Journal and told the story to an employee. He was anxious that full publicity should be given to it to let the Canadian people know of the situation. He was referred to the police.

Later in the day he visited a magistrate and in the afternoon left his child with a neighbor while he sought a hearing from others. That night he asked two neighbors if they would look after his child. He said he was fearful something might happen to him that night.

He was taken into another apartment and the city police were informed. They promised protection should it be necessary. About midnight his apartment was entered by four persons from the Russian Embassy. The city police arrived and wanted to know why they were there. They claimed immunity as members of the Embassy. No arrests were made and they returned to the Embassy. Later that evening there was another visit to the apartment but nothing occurred.

GOUZENKO HAD SHELTER IN NEARBY APARTMENT

Meantime Gouzenko had shelter in the neighboring apartment. He was taken by city police to the R.C.M.P. the following morning. He made a full statement, produced his documents and asked protection for himself and his family. He was given protection and the documents were carefully studied by police.

Mr. King said he finally came to the conclusion Gouzenko's motives were as he described them. Gouzenko said he had been surprised to find how the people lived and had been impressed at the free elections. With Canada assisting her Allies he had done up his mind he owed it to the people of both Canada and Russia to disclose conditions as he knew them. He then proceeded to gather documents which would provide proof.

"What I attach importance to is not the individual or what he said but of the documents he produced," Mr. King said.

Mr. King read a long list of information the spy ring was seeking, as disclosed to the commission's first interim report. It dealt with data about the atomic bomb, explosives, anti-submarine devices and troop dispositions.

QUOTES OTHER PORTIONS OF COMMISSION REPORT

He also quoted other portions from commission reports and official documents to show how close Britain is to the inquiry.

Replying to a question this afternoon by John Bracken, Progressive Conservative leader, as to the extent of the range of inquiry, Mr. King noted that commission counsel had written that his investigations indicated evidence being followed was aimed at permitting the detention of the persons involved in espionage. Therefore he could not go into any great detail.

Part of the information had been that a prominent scientist who had been engaged in "considerable work of any one" on the release of atomic information was about to leave Canada and had taken passage on a plane. On his arrival in England he was to make contact with a representative of the U.S.S.R. Mr. King felt he should take this information personally. He spoke to President Truman before getting on the Atlantic and on the day of his arrival met Prime Minister Attlee. Later he gave Foreign Secretary Bevin the information Canada had obtained.

Mr. Bracken had inquired why there was such a delay in disclosing the investigation.

Mr. King said it would have been a grave mistake to take a premature step. The last thing Canada wanted was to damage the relationship of the United Nations.

GOVERNMENT ENGAGED SPECIAL COUNSEL

To obtain the best advice the Government engaged special counsel, F. T. Williams, of Winnipeg, president of the Canadian Bar Association and recognized in his profession as "the Government's leading counsel." His approval should be impartial. Mr. Williams made a report which could not yet be made public because it contained information to be used in the coming trials and recommended appointment of a commission.

Mr. King said that was the Government came to appoint two judges of the Supreme Court—Mr. Justices Robert Taschereau and R. L. Kellock—as Royal commissioners.

Recalling the meeting of Foreign Ministers in Moscow in December Mr. King said that would not have been an appropriate time to disclose the inquiry was being made. It would have been said that Canada was "butting in" on agreements as to disrupt the Moscow meeting.

When Lester Pearson was meetings in London of the preparatory commission of the United Nations organization and the sessions of the assembly itself it was important that those things should be carried on as little difficulty as possible.

"My hope had been that it might have been possible to make an inquiry within the departments in public attention as possible until those guilty had been brought to trial," said Mr. King.

But that was "wholly impossible because the departments then would have been able to make only a very limited inquiry."

EXPLAINS DELAY OVER ORDER

Mr. King said he wished to explain why the order in council passed October 6 had not been made public until last month. He said a very trusted Government employee had gone to London and we have established "contact" October 7. He did not specify whether the contact was to be with a Russian agent or a Canadian Government em-

Returns to CJVI

RUDY BARTMAN

Who has returned to radio station CJAT at Trail after four years overseas service with the 5th Canadian Armored Division. His radio career started with CJAT in 1939. For a year prior to enlisting he was with the local station. He has returned to the broadcasting division. While overseas Bartman took an active part in program production of the Eighth Army station, which was established for the Allied Expeditionary Force, and was carried over the B.B.C. network.

ployee supplying information to Russia.

If the contact had been made it would have been necessary to take action before the persons in Canada as well as in London. The contact was not made, however, possibly because of the fact it was then known there was much information in the hands of the Canadian Government.

When the contact was not made the order in council authorizing the apprehension and detention of persons could be left in abeyance.

When Mr. St. Laurent had told the Commons last December that there were no secret orders, he probably was not thinking of the October order.

"I know I did not think of it," said Mr. King.

If he had thought of it, it would have been inadvisable to make the order public. He would have informed the leaders of six existence.

Before anyone was apprehended the commission had met a week, investigated Gouzenko and studying the documents.

With the knowledge available there would have been loud criticism if the Justice Minister had not acted on the advice of the commission and ordered the apprehension of those it wished to detain.

Some criticism was heard now, but much of it would not be made if the facts were known or partially known.

GOVERNMENT SOUGHT TO PROTECT NAMES

The Government had taken every possible step to protect the names of the persons involved until it was clear they were involved and would be detained. This was done in the interests of the people themselves and the Prime Minister then turned to the international aspect of the affair.

He recalled that in his statement announcing the investigation he had not named the Soviet, but he had informed the Soviet Embassy that their government was involved. It was the Soviet itself which first linked that country with the inquiry. The Soviet had admitted that its military attache was involved. Since the inquiry started "three or four" persons from the embassy had returned.

At the time he had thought of going personally to Russia. The information he had of the circumstances led him to believe the Russian leader would not countenance what had been taking place. He decided, however, that the authenticity of the documents should be proved and with Canadian civil servants concerned Canada should clear her self to Russia.

Mr. King said he was still prepared at any time to go to Russia if it could be of service.

The position taken by British Foreign Secretary Bevin, at the United Nations Organization Assembly, or of Canada's relations to the United Nations Organization could not possibly have had any connection. The investigation preceded that meeting and the applo-

According to Culbertson - - - -

In many deals the correct final contract is named by one partner and taken out to a bad contract by the other. Superficially it would appear that the takeout constituted a major error, but this is not always a fair conclusion. Consider the deal:

North, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♠ 4
♥ K 8 3 2
♦ K 8 3
♣ A K Q 7 3

WEST
♠ A K Q
♥ Q 6 5 4 3
♦ A Q 7
♣ 6 5

EAST
♠ 7 5 2
♥ J 10 7 5
♦ 6 5 2
♣ 8 6 4

SOUTH
♠ J 10 9 8 6 5
♥ —
♦ J 10 9 4
♣ J 10 5

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 NT	Pass	5 ♦	Double
Pass	Pass		

It will be seen that North artfully did name a good contract, three no trump, and that South took him out to four spades, which was doomed to defeat. Yet North's bidding was very bad and South's was correct. No first-rank player holding South's hand would permit three no trump to stand after the bidding. North produced. The would feel quite reasonably, that the South hand might not be worth a single trick at no trump aside from stopping the diamonds and spade suits; but that it might take four or five tricks with spades as trump.

Now, let's consider South's decision if the bidding has gone properly:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
3 NT	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
3 NT	Pass	?	

South's problem at this point assumes an entirely different complexion. North has shown a six-card heart suit, a diamond stopper and a generally powerful hand, but has strongly indicated a singleton spade. By not only "reversed" by starting with a club and later bidding hearts, but persisted to three no trump in the face of South's non-committal spade reply.

Just as every expert would prefer to four spades in the previous bidding sequence, so everyone would pass to three no trump if North truly revealed both his strength and distribution.

70-Year-Old Army Corporal Honored

In celebration of his 90th birthday and 40 years of army life, Corporal David Cuthbert, better known to his host of army pals as "Little Davy," was honored last week at a grand smoker held to the wet canteen at Work Point Barracks.

A veteran of both Great Wars and attended service on the Indian Frontier with the Imperial Army, "Davy" was presented with a handsome brand new one-dollar bills, one for every year of his life, by Brigadier General J. Sutherland Brown.

Thanking the happy group, Corporal Cuthbert said "It has been well worth the 40 years soldiering to receive such a great honor as has been bestowed on me tonight."

A native of Dundee, Scotland, Cuthbert began his army career at the age of 16 when he joined the Highland Light Infantry at the Tinpetals. He is an original member of the Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry, having served in this famous regiment throughout two wars.

Coming through all his army career with only one wound, the veteran considers himself one of the lucky ones.

Cuthbert came to this country in 1911. He has two sons, one of them returning soon from overseas after serving in the Army Service Corps.

Naval Veterans Here Open Unique Store

A cleverly arranged store, unique in its combination of hardware, grocery, fresh produce and cut flower departments on one floor, was opened recently at 1803 Fort Street by an R.C.N.V.R. veteran, N. B. Doughty.

Modern in its design, the interior serve beau.

Produce on Coast

Bitumuls asphalt emulsions, formerly manufactured and marketed to British Columbia by Canadian Bitumuls Company Limited, Lesalle, Ontario, will be handled in future by Standard Oil Company of British Columbia Limited.

This was the announcement made today by R. D. Baker, Standard's president and managing director.

John E. Stewart, who has been West Coast manager of Canadian Bitumuls Company for the past eight years, will be in charge of Standard's asphalt and bitumuls division.

All bitumuls asphalt emulsions will be manufactured in British Columbia at the Shaughnessy Refinery.

is lined with gaily painted shelves and display stands, constructed and decorated by Mr. Doughty. He is assisted in the new venture by his other naval veteran, D. A. George, who manages the grocery section.

Merchandising will be on a self-

Frank Shillitto Reaches 90th Year

Claiming as his chief hobbies chopping wood and fishing, Frank Shillitto, native of Yorkshire, England, celebrated his 90th birthday yesterday at his home in Sydney.

Before returning to Sydney in 1921 Mr. Shillitto farmed to the Cadboro Bay district. He came to Canada in 1913 and settled in this district in 1921 as a machinist, but later on took up farming. He was predeceased him five years ago. He has three sons, two in Victoria and one in Duncan.

To Launch Boat At Falconer's

Lord of the Isles—57-foot combination lunch and packer—will be launched at Falconer Marine Industries, Ltd., on Tuesday at 4 p.m., it was announced yesterday by Arnold Moran, plant superintendent.

The ship, to be an addition to Falconer's fast-growing fleet, will be sponsored by Mrs. George Clark. It will be equipped with a five-cylinder Vivian Diesel engine and will have a speed of nine knots.

Scafe Hill Goal Of Outdoor Club

Scafe Hill, Highland District, was the objective of Sunday's outing of the Outdoor Club of Victoria, according to 13 members and guests.

The hill was reached on foot from the Island Highway, by way of Thetis Lake and the Pike Lake Road. Stop was made for lunch on the east summit, which commands a good view of the city and southern Saanich

Gyro Club Sees Cariboo Picture

Members of the Gyro Club were yesterday taken on an imaginary trip over the Cariboo Highway, when Clarence R. D. Perrin, chief photographer for the British Columbia Government Travel Bureau, presented a 35-minute Technicolor travelogue depicting life and industry along this historic route.

Opening mainly with cattle ranching, gold mining and tourist attraction, the film showed scenic spots in all settlements, large and small, in "The Romantic Cariboo."

Photography and editing of the film was by Mr. Perrin, and W. H. Currie, assistant commissioner of the Government Travel Bureau, wrote the narration.

To Attend Fisheries Committee Meeting

George J. Alexander, deputy commissioner of the Provincial Department of Fisheries, left Victoria yesterday to attend a meeting of the fisheries advisory committee to the British Columbia Industrial and Scientific Research Council in Vancouver.

Mr. Alexander has been chairman of this committee since its inception two years ago. Discussion of the budget for the forthcoming year will head the agenda.

Aluminum Official Is Victoria Visitor

H. McQueen, New York City, chief geologist of the Aluminum Company of America, is a guest at the Empress Hotel. He is here for a few days looking on his return journey from Alaska, where he has been carrying out exploratory work.

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SPORTS SLANTS

By SID THOMAS

MINOR BASEBALL PROSPECTS BRIGHT

If the attendance and enthusiasm displayed at last night's organization meeting of the Victoria Minor Baseball Association are to be taken as a criterion, the up-and-coming diamond pastimers are all primed up for what promises to be the most successful season in the history of minor baseball in this city.

Upwards of 30 persons—youngsters and adults interested in minor baseball—attended the parley held at the Eagles Home, 751 View Street, under the auspices of the Victoria Baseball Association.

Enthusiasm hit a new high with prospects for the revival of the junior circuit for players under 21 years, in addition to midget, juvenile and inter-high school circuits. All in all, it looks as if young Victoria is really getting baseball-conscious

CRIBBAGE LEAGUE IS HUGE SUCCESS

Organized last Winter by a few cribbage enthusiasts, the Greater Victoria Cribbage League marked the close of its first season of play recently with a banquet and presentation of championship trophies at the Elks Club.

Every week during the Winter season more than 80 players competed in league fixtures, provided conclusively the need of such an organization. At the wind-up banquet a number of the players rose to their feet to pay tribute to the executive.

Members of the executive are certainly deserving of congratulations for a job well done, and we are going to take this opportunity of extending our felicitations to President Cecil Holt, Secretary Bill Collins and all those hard-working individuals responsible for the success of the venture. It was a swell job well done

A SUGGESTION FOR RUGBY OFFICIALS

Hector Rigby, fixtures wiz battle for the Rounesfell Cup, emblematic of the British Columbia championship, this Saturday at Macdonald Park with Victoria J.B.A.A. opposing Varsity in a senior double-fixture

Normally, rugger fans would expect the provincial championship series to end the season's activities, but such is not the case. The Cowichan Trophy series, yet to be played, will follow one week later.

To us this appears like an entirely unnecessary addition to the season's operations. We feel that the provincial championship would be a fitting finale to any season, and would like to make a friendly suggestion to local Rugby officials.

Why not stage the Cowichan Trophy competition at the start of the season in the nature of a warm-up for the longer and more important league schedule for the Bernard Cup? By following this plan the Bernard Cup winners would move into the final of the Rounesfell Cup series in style and wind up the season with the best provincial championship We feel the suggestion is worthy of consideration

GATHERED FROM HERE AND THERE

School soccer circuits from Nanaimo and Oak Bay will meet tomorrow at Windsor Park in the first of a home and away Cup final. The trophy presented to the Oak Bay Schools' Athletic Association some after the Great War, is emblematic of the soccer championship of Greater Victoria

Local officials are going right ahead with plans for the annual Juvenile Boy program on Saturday, March 30. The feature attraction will pit the Legg... Champion Victoria Wests against an All-Star team, and gate receipts from the event will go to local juvenile soccer in this city

Soccer fans are delighted with Saturday's interclty games between V.M.D. All-Stars and Intermediate A champions, for the Queen Alexandra Solarium for crippled children through their efforts and programs supplied by Joe North Stan Ouellette, veteran player, will act as umpire-in-chief for the Victoria Minor Baseball Association during the coming season Another well-known figure in senior baseball last season will be helping the youngsters this season is George Cole, former manager of the Mayfair Cole is the secretary-treasurer of the association.

Dominoes to Meet Alberta Champions

Canadian Basketball Play-Downs Get Under Way April 12—Finals in Maple Leaf Gardens

After their first postwar Dominion basketball crown, Victoria Dominions are expected to leave the city on or about April 8 to fulfill an engagement with the Alberta champions on the first leg of a journey they hope will take them all the way to the Maple Leaf Gardens to meet the Eastern titleholders in the finals.

Canadian Basketball Association has mapped out a rough schedule for the Western winners, who could conceivably be called on to play 12 games in the space of 18 days while travelling almost all the way across the continent.

Dominoes meet the Alberta winners in a two-game total-point series on April 12 and 13, with the survivors of this round moving on to play a similar set against the Saskatchewan representatives with only one day's rest on April 15 and 16.

From there, the survivors journey on to Winnipeg with another day allowed for travel to meet the Manitoba champions in a best-of-three series for the Western Canada title on April 18, 20 and 22.

Should the latter series go the full distance, the Western winners would have to waste no time in reaching Toronto for the Dominion final, which is slated to start on April 24 in the Maple Leaf Gardens. The final will be a best-of-five affair with succeeding games billed for April 25, 27, 29 and 30

MAX BENTLEY

Max Bentley Top Scorer

MONTREAL, March 18 (CP)—After an absence of two years from professional hockey, Chicago Black Hawks' back-worker, Max Bentley made a spectacular return to the National Hockey League this season by capturing the league individual scoring championship.

Official statistics are not yet available but The Canadian Press compilations give Bentley 31 goals and 30 assists for a total of 61 points, an all-time record.

It's Montreal Canadiens against Chicago Black Hawks, and Boston Bruins against Detroit Red Wings in the National Hockey League playoffs.

The Stanley Cup line-up was not settled until the last shot had been fired in the regular league schedule Sunday night. Boston won second place by beating Chicago, 3-2.

The best-of-seven semi-finals open at Montreal and Boston on Tuesday night.

Toronto Maple Leafs made their exit for the season in a blaze of glory, whipping New York Rangers, 7-1, Saturday night and then triumphing at Detroit Sunday by 11-7.

Montreal Canadiens holding an impregnable lead, ironiced Chicago, 6-2, Saturday night and then 6-3 to the tail-end Rangers at New York last night. The Boston-Chicago struggle was the fifth game of the week-end.

The Canadiens finished the schedule with 81 points; Boston 56, Chicago 53 and Detroit 50. Toronto, eliminated from this year's play-offs some time back, wound up with 45 points. The New Yorkers finished with 25.

At Boston Sunday night the Bruins and Hawks battled for second place and the right to meet Detroit instead of Montreal in the semi-finals Bruins got away to a 4-0 lead before Chicago got the scoring jitter.

Bep Guidolin opened for Boston in the first frame and Bobby Bauer and Don Gallinger made it 3-0 in the second Gallinger's goal made it 4-0 before Chicago's Clint Smith, Doug Bentley and Roy Hewitt scored in succession. Milt Schmidt assisted on the first and third.

In the scoring carnival at Detroit Toronto led 4-2 at the end of the first and 6-4 at the end of the second.

Dave Stewart led the Toronto snipers with three goals and Gus Bodnar had two. The other Leaf scorers were Syl Apps Bill Ezinicki, Wally Stanowski, Billy Taylor, Sweeney Schriner and Jackie Hamilton.

Harry Watson and Adam Brown each got two goals for the Wings, and the others were scored by Ted Lindsay, Roly Mickenahan and Carl Liscombe

It was another wild-scoring affair as New York when the Rangers hung up their first victory over the Canadiens.

For the Rangers, Cal Gardner,

Organize Minor Baseball Group

Bill Griffiths, former electrician of the minor section of the Victoria Baseball Association, was elected president at the newly-formed Victoria Minor Baseball Association, at an organization meeting in the Eagle Lodge Home, View Street, last night.

George Cole, formerly manager of the Navy baseball team, was named as secretary, with Ted Carey elected as vice-president and Orton Carrol as executive member.

Tentative plans for the various divisions were laid last night, with final decision on 1946 plans expected to be made at the next meeting, called for April 1 at the Eagles Home.

It was decided that entries will close on April 15 for all divisions Stan Douglas will act as umpire-in-chief of the new baseball body

Presentation Marks Close of Cribbage League

Marking the close of their first season's activities, more than 100 members of the Greater Victoria Cribbage League attended the banquet and dance at the Elks Club Thursday night, when they held recently at the Elks Club. Pictured above is the handsome Andy Dore Perpetual Challenge Trophy to A. Shotbolt and L. Todhunter, the champions. Reading from left to right, those in the group are A. Shotbolt, Bill Collins, L. Todhunter, C. Holt and J. Clifford.

Stanley Cup Play-Offs Will Open This-Evening

Montreal Canadiens to Battle Black Hawks—Boston Bruins to Oppose Detroit Red Wings

FINAL STANDINGS

				Goals	
	W.	L.	D.	F.	Pts.
Canadiens	28	17	3	173	134
Boston	24	16	6	167	156
Chicago	23	26	7	160	178
Detroit	22	26	2	147	158
Toronto	19	24	7	173	185
Rangers	13	28	8	164	191

Sunday's scores: Canadiens 5, Toronto 1; Canadiens 5, Detroit 1; Boston 3, Chicago 2.

Tony Lewick and Phil Watson each scored twice, and Bill Moe and Rene Trudel got one apiece for Blake scored twice for Montreal and Jim Peters, Bep Pillion and Dutch Hiller got the others.

Nanaimo Midgets Win Coast Title

NEW WESTMINSTER B.C., March 18 (CP)—Nanaimo Kinamen defeated New Westminster Paloma, 4-1, here tonight in a sudden-death final for the Pacific Coast midget hockey championship.

Nanaimo won second Kimberly in Nanaimo tomorrow and Wednesday in a two-game total-goal series for the British Columbia title.

The sudden-death game was ordered after the British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association upheld a New Westminster protest following the first game, which ended in a two-game total-goal series in Nanaimo. Paloma protested use of a Nanaimo player.

Each team scored one goal in the first period. Earl Peterson netting for New Westminster and Allan Kid for Nanaimo. Off in the second, Island team held off all attempts by the Paloma sextet to score and slammed in three goals to take a commanding lead. Bob Hindmarch scored twice on passes from Bruce Ward and Ward got the other Neither team counted in the last period.

Hagg, Andersson Barred From All Amateur Sports

STOCKHOLM, March 18 (CP)—Gunder Hagg and Arne Andersson, Sweden's two great milers who were declared professionals and barred for life from amateur competition Sunday, may have further trouble—this time with the Swedish income tax collectors.

A tax expert told The Dagens Nyheter today it is possible the two field and Haegg and Andersson, and also the seven other athletes who were published to a lesser extent, just how much they earned as amateurs.

Swedish sports writers estimate they were paid as much as $10,500

Jackson Cup Final Is Carded Saturday

One of the most coveted soccer trophies up for competition, the Jackson Cup will find a new resting place for the season on Saturday when Wests and Toppers clash in the final of the cup.

Wests, who have almost made a clean sweep in the local senior league this season, eliminated Canadian Legion and Nanaimo to reach the final and are definitely committed to winning the trophy, which was won last year by the now disbanded V.M.D. eleven

Toppers, who seem to have the full measure of all clubs except the Greenshirts, moved into the final by slimming Esquimalt Hill and V.M.D. and are determined to score their first win of the season over the Wests

Play will get under way at 2.30 p.m. at Royal Athletic Park.

Varsity Rugby XV Will Oppose Bays

Mainlanders to Meet Locals Here Saturday in Rounsefell Cup Final—Junior Game Set

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Joe Roberts, coach of the Victoria High school ruggers, will be in charge of the Victoria Crimson Tide Ripples, and is reported to be lining up a well-balanced fifteen.

KIWANIS CUP GAME CARDED TOMORROW

Tomorrow's mid-week Rugby attraction will be a junior-city Victoria High School and Victoria Collegiate in the annual Kiwanis Cup match at the Pyrowood Road grounds at 3.45 p.m.

One of the highlights of interschool competition, the fixture promises to produce all of its former color and frills with the majorities in attendance

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Play-Off Hoop Schedule Set

Basketball play-offs announced this week by Frank Pinkerton, secretary of the Victoria and District Basketball Association, reveal that provincial finals with Mainland clubs will be played in Victoria in the midget division, intermediate "B" boys; intermediate "B" girls' and senior "A" women's sections. Junior boys, intermediate "A" men and women and senior "B" men will travel to Vancouver for the finals

Complete play-off list follows.

AT VICTORIA

March 23—Eagles vs. Tookes, sudden death intermediate "B" boys.

Eagleiies vs. Shores, sudden death intermediate "B" girls.

March 26—Hudson's Bay vs. Redlands, second game, total points, senior "A" women.

March 26—Hudson's Bay vs. Redlands, second game, K.V.'s midgets vs. Vancouver representatives

AT VANCOUVER

March 23—Alcos vs. Farmas, first game, total points, intermediate "A" men.

March 23—Alcos vs. Farmas, second game.

March 27—Connies vs. Canadian Legion, sudden death, intermediate "A" women.

March 26—Hudson's Bay vs. Redlands, second game. K.V.'s midgets vs. Vancouver representatives

Canadian Legion will meet the winner of the Connies-Canadian Legion sudden death series for the men's senior "B" title on dates to be announced later

Clarkson, Planitor Finally Defeated

After successfully defending the trophy in eight successive matches, Clarkson and Planitor and Vic Pointer-Uplands, finally lost the city golf fixture at the Uplands course on Sunday, when they were defeated by Gordon Verley and Bob Morrison, who did the rounds in 2 and 1. Over 300 golfing fans, the largest gallery to date, followed the interesting match.

Favored by perfect weather conditions, the foursome dished up some exciting play with the result in doubt until the 17th. Clarkson-Planitor were one up at the end of nine holes, but Clarkson and Painter squared the match at the 12th, the latter sinking a short effort for a birdie three.

Verley and Morrison went one up on the next hole and increased their margin by winning the 16th. The duo was halved in par figures, giving the button to the challenging pair. Winners had a best ball of 70, one stroke better than their opponents.

E. Barber and D. Thornton, College of Victoria, will meet Verley-Morrison for the button in the next match at Uplands on Sunday, March 31.

GORGE YALE GOLF

Results of the hidden hole competition played at the Gorge Yale Golf Club on Monday follow: H. Eardley-Wilmot 23 8-3; H. Ashton, 36 2-3; J. G. Thomson, 37; T. A. Finch, 37 2-3; A. Blackmore, 37 2-3; T. Carlow, 38 1-3; D. Hooper, 38 1-3, and P. Herbertson, 38 2-3.

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Carpet Bowling

Pictures scheduled this week in the Capital City District Carpet Bowling League tourney follow:

Wednesday—Cull and Mrs. A. McMillan vs. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper; Bates and Mrs. Flaherty vs. A. McMillan and Mrs. Cull.

Thursday—7:30, Mrs. House vs. Mrs. Ready; Mr. Brien vs. Mrs. Griffin. 8:30, R. McKenzie and Mrs Thomas vs. J. Leiper and Mrs. J. McMillan; Colvin and Mrs. McLaughlan vs. Cruickshank and Mrs. Brien.

Friday—Kiwanis Cup Semi-Finals —Friars vs. Cedar Hill; Willows Park vs. Beacons.

Western International Ball League Schedule Announced

Western International Baseball League teams will swing into action on April 28 and wind up their 1946 pennant chase on September 2 according to the official 140-game fixture list made public yesterday.

Victoria, defending champions in the circuit, will open against Wenatchee with a four-day stand, and then head for their home diamond at Royal Athletic Park to usher in the season here on April 30 against Tacoma.

The complete fixture list follows:

APRIL 28, 29, 30—Wenatchee at Victoria; Yakima at Spokane; Victoria at Vancouver; Tacoma at Portland.

APRIL 30, MAY 1, 2, 3, 4, 5—Wenatchee at Victoria; Yakima at Spokane; Victoria at Vancouver; Tacoma at Portland; Spokane at Seattle.

MAY 1, 2, 3, 4, 5—Spokane at Victoria; Seattle at Vancouver; Portland at Tacoma; Yakima at Wenatchee.

MAY 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11—Wenatchee at Victoria; Yakima at Spokane; Victoria at Vancouver; Tacoma at Portland; Spokane at Seattle.

MAY 10, 11, 12—Spokane at Victoria; Seattle at Vancouver; Portland at Tacoma; Yakima at Wenatchee.

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MAY 15, 16, 17, 18, 19—Victoria at Wenatchee; Spokane at Yakima; Vancouver at Seattle; Tacoma at Portland.

MAY 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22—Victoria at Wenatchee; Yakima at Spokane; Seattle at Vancouver; Portland at Tacoma.

MAY 22, 23, 24, 25, 26—Wenatchee at Victoria; Spokane at Yakima; Vancouver at Seattle; Tacoma at Portland.

MAY 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29—Wenatchee at Victoria; Yakima at Spokane; Seattle at Vancouver; Portland at Tacoma.

MAY 29, 30, 31, JUNE 1, 2—Victoria at Wenatchee; Spokane at Yakima; Vancouver at Seattle; Tacoma at Portland.

JUNE 1, 2, 3, 4, 5—Wenatchee at Victoria; Yakima at Spokane; Victoria at Vancouver; Tacoma at Portland; Spokane at Seattle.

JUNE 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10—Victoria at Wenatchee; Spokane at Yakima; Vancouver at Seattle; Tacoma at Portland.

JUNE 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12—Victoria at Wenatchee; Yakima at Spokane; Seattle at Vancouver; Portland at Tacoma.

JUNE 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17—Wenatchee at Victoria; Spokane at Yakima; Vancouver at Seattle; Tacoma at Portland.

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SEPT. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5—Victoria at Wenatchee; Spokane at Yakima; Vancouver at Seattle; Portland at Tacoma.

SEPTEMBER 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7—Wenatchee at Victoria; Yakima at Spokane; Victoria at Vancouver; Tacoma at Portland; Spokane at Seattle.

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Legion Wins Phoenix Cup

Coming fast under the combined Louis DeCosta-George Kulai managership since their reorganization, Canadian Legion soccer eleven took home their first silverware at Heywood Avenue on Sunday when they edged the Toppers, 2-1, to capture the Phoenix Cup. Winners won the trophy the hard way, defeating V.M.D. Wests and Toppers. His three top senior clubs, to win the round-robin series with three straight victories

Legion went into the lead at the 15-minute mark. Duncan getting credit for the goal when Popham thrusted his noggin into the mix-up. Toppers equalized just before time with Tommy Price banging Skubrok's cross home

Joe Robinson, playing his first game in his new club, proved his worth by scoring the winner from Pete Koch's free-kick toss-in.

Playing at Nanaimo in an exhibition game on Monday, Victoria Wests romped to a 7-2 decision over the home club. Ab Travis scored three for the winners with Gordie Conner netting twice and Gordie Bell and Roy Odell adding singletons.

BOWLING RECORD

Dave Pullerton, bowling for the Victoria at Citizens' Recreationette, Vales Street, in a recent league game, broke two four-year-reigns mark of the New Zealand Haydn League when he spilled the pins for a total of 339.

Pullerton rang up single games of 204, 109 and 126 to make the total, which broke the old mark, set in 1942, by 86 pins.

CLAUDE CORBITT SOLD

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. March 18 (AP)—Brooklyn Dodgers sold Claude Corbitt, one of the clubs many shortstop candidates, to Cincinnati Reds today for the waiver price of $10,000.

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BIRTHS

PARKER.—To Mr. and Mrs. Jack A. Parker (nee Marjorie Bowcock), at Royal Jubilee Hospital, Victoria, on Monday, March 18, a daughter (Patricia Phyllis), an Eighth 7½ at 6¼ pounds a Hospital.

PHILLIPS.—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Phillips (nee Ruth Hall), at Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Monday, March 18, a son (Peter Edward Hall), a son.

MARRIAGES

ARCOTT-JOHNSTONE.—On March 9, 1946, at Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria, by the Rev. Canon Quainton, assisted by the Rev. Archdeacon Holmes, Dorothy Ann Johnstone, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnstone, North Saanich, to Mr. Arcott.

DAMERY-SHERNEFF.—Mr and Mrs J. A. Sherneff announce the marriage of their daughter, Alice Mary, to Mr. Albert George Damery, R.C.A.F. (R.C.), son of Mr and Mrs. Damery, Victoria, B.C., on March 9, 1946, at the Christ Church Cathedral, Victoria, by the Rev. H. A. McLeod officiating, at 4 o'clock p.m.

SNIPE-TRILL.—Mr and Mrs. E. E. Trill of Alberni, wish to announce the marriage of their youngest daughter, Lillian Irene, to Mr. Ronald Edward Snipe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Snipe of Courtenay, B.C., at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Trill, Christ Church Rectory, Cook, V.I., with the Rev. Canon Beer officiating.

DEATHS

BAYES.—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on March 18, 1946, Ernest Bayes, late of Victoria, aged 74 years, of 2707 Cadboro Bay Road. Born in Durham, England, he had lived in Victoria for about 40 years. Funeral notice later. Mr. Bayes was a life member of the Toronto Provincial Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of the United Grand Lodge of England.

BLIGHT.—Those second copy at the residence on Friday, March 15, 1946 Mr. Frederick Ellis Blight, aged 74 years. He was born in Victoria, where he had lived for 36 years. The late Mr. Blight was a member of the Victoria Lodge No. 2 of 1859 Free Masons, and was previously George Hilsdt of Victoria Lodge No. 1 of 1859 Free Masons, C.R. and of 1859 Free Masons, C.R. and of 1859 Free Masons, C.R. and

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FOR SALE—SEVEN GREENHOUSES 20 by 100 two-section; modern with all necessary equipment. Heating system recently installed at amount of $12,000. For particulars apply Imperial Construction Co. (1940) Limited, Phone G 7112.

TEA AND DINING ROOM BUSINESS for sale, 10 miles from Victoria. Doing a steady fair business. Good investment. Box 1911, Colonist.

71 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES
(Continued)

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BUYING property or a business on Vancouver Island, write or phone

BLOWER REAL ESTATE
Argyle St., Port Alberni
Phone 730 Res. 4019
We Cover the Island

LAUNDRY AND CONFECTIONERY for sale, doing good business. Owner has other business. Apply Box 1911, Colonist.

LAUNDRY AND CONFECTIONERY, doing good business. Owner has other business. Apply Box 1911, Colonist.

GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY, doing good business. Owner has other business. Apply Box 1911, Colonist.

GROCERY BUSINESS—Excellent opportunity for right party. Box 1911, Colonist.

FIFTY BURNING BLOCKS—For sale by Douglas Mackay & Co. (V) Ltd. 1626 BROAD STREET. Phone G 8121 After hours G 5178

GEO RANDALL
1202 Douglas St. GARDEN 4144

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

RENT RAMSEY Duly reopening. Refrigerators in kitchen with 30 quarters 19 to 24 cubic feet capacity. Rent $10,500 approximately $1,500 per month, with lease. Price $10,500 Or-Ida-Ada coffee shop equipped with only 3 months lease $6500

Clip Mr. Ramsey

77 LISTINGS CANCELLED

NOTICE—1127 JOHNSON STREET has been sold. Thank you.

78 HOUSES FOR SALE

A FINE BUNGALOW WITH LARGE living room, dining room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, full basement, Furnace. Outside garage. $4500

A VERY GOOD BUNGALOW WITH living room, 2 bedrooms or 3 at pinch. Lovely garden. Excellent condition throughout. Full basement. Close to Gorge and bus. Only $4000

A LOVELY MODERN STUCCO BUNGALOW with living room, dining room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, basement. Furnace. Pembroke bathroom, plus an extra toilet. Beautiful garden. Terms. $7500

BEAUTIFUL CONSLES

5-ROOM SEMI-BUNGALOW IN EXCEL-lent condition throughout. Living room, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, kitchen, basement. Furnace. Garage. Terms. $6100

A NEARLY NEW LOVELY MODERN BUNGALOW with an extra room in the basement. Living room, dining room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, basement. Furnace. Garage. Terms. $7500

ALL IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

Phone B 1116, or Call 1128 Government St.

DUPLEX—JAMES BAY

A REAL LITTLE HOME AND MONEY-maker. Three self-contained rooms down that rent for $40 per month. Two rooms up that rent for $25 per month. Total rental $65 per month. Terms to suit purchaser.

DUPLEX — CITY

THIS ONE IS IN REAL GOOD CONDITION — Bottom suite consists of three large rooms, bathroom, kitchen, basement, furnace. Upper suite consists of three rooms, bathroom, kitchen and attic. Lot 40 x 120. Rental $65 per month. Terms to suit purchaser. Price $6,500. Exclusive.

FAIRFIELD — Revenue producer suite in the waterfront district. Rental $50 per month. All well-constructed brick and stucco. Lot 50 x 120. Price $6,500. Terms.

HAULTAIN—A two-room N.H.A. bungalow ready built, with full basement, furnace, sash and full water fencing. Living-room is 12 x 15, bedroom 10 x 12, kitchen 8 x 10, with built-in cupboards and cabinet sink, and electric insulation with glazed tile finish. Price $4,500. Terms.

A. E. DUKE
201 Central Bldg. G 2323 or Call G 6258

GORGE DISTRICT

Possession Early or April 1

A VERY COZY 4-ROOMED CRAFTSMAN bungalow, with full basement, furnace, and all conveniences. Lot 50 x 120. Price $4,650. Terms.

FAIRFIELD SPECIAL

A CHOICE FAMILY RESIDENCE

Situated on Fairfield Road, close to the waterfront. Beautiful location. Large living-room with fireplace, dining-room, two bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom, basement with furnace. Special features: built-in features galore. Lot 50 x 120. Price $6,500. Terms.

J. H. DALBY & CO. LTD.
624 View Street G 2343 Evenings

ATTRACTIVE AND COMPACT STUCCO bungalow, situated in the Fairfield district, close to bus and Fairfield Shopping Centre. Contains living-room, modern kitchen with breakfast nook, 2 bedrooms, bath. Early possession. $6,250

CLOSE IN—A very well-built bungalow at 1144 Pemberton Road, with living-room, dining-room with space fireplace, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom. Price $5,250

A. E. DUKE

1309 Blanshard Street B 3613

A BEAUTIFUL, REVISED NEW-HOME bungalow, situated on Hillcrest Drive, Oak Bay. Fully modern throughout, with hardwood floors, tiled bathroom, and large basement. Price $6,500. Terms.

A ATTRACTIVE MODERN STUCCO BUNgalow, situated on Fairfield Road, close to bus and shopping centre. Contains living-room, dining-room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, basement with furnace. Price $6,500. Terms.

A ATTENTION HOME AND CAR OWNERS—Close in, on Pandora Avenue, 4-room bungalow at reasonably low price. Only $4,250. Terms. Exclusive.

A ATTENTION — INSURE YOUR HOME and contents for low Maternal Hospital Association rates. Ask us for particulars.

A BRAND NEW—HIGH QUADRA, FIVE-room bungalow, with full basement, hardwood floors throughout, tiled bathroom. Set on nicely treed lot. Price $8,000. Terms.

A FAIRFIELD — Five-roomed modern bungalow, with full basement, furnace, with semi-modern conveniences. Must be seen to be appreciated. Price $4,000. Terms.

A MUIRHEAD'S FORESHORE — Lovely 6-room bungalow, with all modern conveniences. Close to school and street car. Price $4,250.

A OVERLOOKING ESQUIMALT HARBOUR—Modern 5-room bungalow. Full basement. Immediate possession. $6,250

A IMMEDIATE POSSESSION — Modern 5-room bungalow, with full basement, furnace. Close to bus. Price $4,600

A. E. DUKE
1309 Blanshard Street B 3613

A 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, LIVING-ROOM with fireplace, dining-room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, basement with furnace. Close to bus. Price $4,500. Terms.

A 5-ROOMED BUNGALOW, LIVING-room

76 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

EVERGREEN REAL ESTATE, LIMITED

782 VIEW STREET PHONE G 6613

$2400—Colquitz Four-room home, with fine stucco finish. Has living-room, bedroom and two-piece bathroom on main floor. Basement contains: Large lot, all fenced, good soil and in garden. A good size-home for a small family. Immediate possession. Call for this area. A bargain.

$3700—Investment opportunity. A 5-room home, designed on a very unique plan, size of property, 50 ft. x 150 ft., in the Saanich district. Rented at present at $35 per month, but the property could easily bring $50 per month. Immediate possession. Large living-room, dining-room and two bedrooms. Garden and fruit trees in bearing. A little patience will double your money.

$4200—A home with reason as well as value. A solid 4-bed bungalow on the Gorge Road, close to. Two extra sections bringing in $1500 a month. Oil-conditioned and available for owner, five rooms and bath, with two bedrooms, basement, etc. No 3-0-06. This is a good proposition.

$4250—Gorge Road—See this cozy five-room bungalow, right on transportation and has services from city mains and is situated on a large lot. Living-room with fireplace, dining-room and a square kitchen with ample cupboard space. Two good bedrooms with modern closets and a three-piece Permanite bathroom. Every room has a window for ventilation and sunshine. Stucco finish and shingle roof. Attached to this low-priced home, which should sell quickly.

$4500—A good sized 5-room home in the Gorge district. Has a large living-room, dining-room with fireplace. Sunny kitchen, three nice bedrooms, bathroom and a modern kitchen. Full cement basement. Domestic coal and modern garage. This home is in good condition and is well worth looking at. No 3-06. This is a good proposition.

$4250—Cozy 5-room bungalow, right on transportation and has services from city mains and is situated on a large lot. Living-room with fireplace, dining-room and a square kitchen with ample cupboard space. Two good bedrooms with modern closets and a three-piece Permanite bathroom. Every room has a window for ventilation and sunshine. Stucco finish and shingle roof. Attached to this low-priced home, which should sell quickly.

$4800—A close to Mount View High School. A dandy half-acre modern bungalow. Has a nice living-room with fireplace, a good modern kitchen with eating space, three bedrooms, nice hedge, shrubbery and trees and a very attractive garden. Probably has a garage. Has a basement. Large lot in garden and fruit trees in second hand. This is a good buy.

$4500—Garage district, 2 block from Mount Tolmie. Attractive 5-room modern semi-bungalow. Full concrete basement with laundry tubs and modern heating system. Nice garden. Large living-room with fireplace, dining-room and kitchen with eating space. Modern bathroom with two of chesterfield 3-room bedroom with laundry chute. Let us show you this home. Has a large basement and sectional type fir-fir. Low taxes. Combination gas range, breakfast nook, electric refrigerator, automatic hot water heater. Immediate possession.

$3950—Saanich district. Here is the home you have been looking for. Has a 4-room, modern bungalow, with hot water oil heating, fully furnished with good rugs and garden. Contains a full basement with laundry tubs, hot water heater and laundry chute. A sanitary fire-glow unit with fireplace, dining-room and fully modern kitchen. Two bedrooms and bathroom on the main floor, with a third bedroom and sewing porch. Separate garage. Full and 3/4 lots. The extra lots situated and is garden, may be purchased cheap.

$6250—Situated in the heart of the Fernwood district, James Bay, this dandy eight-room home is close to all schools and car lines. There are two living-rooms, dining-room and a grand Dutch kitchen. One bedroom and bathroom on the main floor. Three bedrooms and bathroom upstairs. Beautiful lawns and fruit trees on large lot. Easily adapted to two-suite revenue home.

$6525—Beautiful N.S.A home. Situated and be the best part of the Gorge. Has a large living-room with fireplace, hall and hardwood floors. A large dining-room with fireplace, dinette, modern kitchen with eating space, two bedrooms and bathroom. Has a full basement with laundry tubs. Permanite bathroom. Garage large for two cars. Lot is 60 x 150 and has a few fruit trees. Close in for convenience. Extremely low price considering N.S.A. district.

$8500—Celebrate. A beautiful eight-room home, situated on a large corner lot in the best of city surroundings, a perfect view of the whole city. Comprised of a large living-room with fireplace, dining-room, living-room, a modern kitchen and a spacious eight-piece bathroom. There are three bedrooms on the main floor, all with closets. Has a three-piece Permanite bathroom upstairs. Full basement with laundry tubs, furnace, also separate garage of brick. Extensive lawns, also separate garage of brick. Extensive lawns, also separate garage of brick. Extensive lawns

71 HOUSES FOR SALE

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WINDSOR PARK, OAK BAY—8-room Tudor semi-bungalow, immaculate. $10,500
HIGH GORGE VIEW A VIEW—Serviced 6-room stucco home. $6500
FARMER'S RIDGE DISTRICT—4-room new home, ½ acre. $4250
UPPER, QUADRA — 7-room stucco home. Terms arranged. $6500
UPPER QUADRA — 7-room stucco home. Double garage. Quick possession. $7200
FAIRFIELD—6-room stucco bungalow with nook. $5000
SHOAL BAY AT—6-room stucco home. Double plumbing. Possession May 1. $7200

Fleming Gardner & Co. Ltd.
204 SCOLLARD BLDG. G 7741
Members of Real Estate Board

NORTH SAANICH
SPECIAL

Brick veneer close to the sea in fine desirable district. Has 3 bedrooms, living room with good grate, bath and hardwood floors, Acme Grill range and garden. A well-built home with all modern conveniences, including panelling with open fireplace, three bedrooms, well-lined kitchen and dining-room and bathroom with extra fine view. Large veranda. Possession in 30 days.

SPARLING
AT SIDNEY TELEPHONE 226
Associate Member Victoria Real Estate Board

SEVEN MILES OUT
Five-roomed bungalow on beautiful, treed, level lot, 100 x 200. Has fruit trees, 2 acres of land for sale if desired. Full price $4000. Good soil for all purposes. Splendid spring water.

ONE-MILE OUTSIDE
Attractive five-roomed stucco bungalow, hot water heat, oil, not electric. Owner has rented back for 1 year. Good value at $6500

CITY HARDWARE
Fully equipped, well-established hardware business, with good stock. Owner must get into one of Victoria's best businesses. Full particulars at

H. A. HUMBER, LTD.
SUITE 14 811 VIEW STREET
Phone G 2343
Members Real Estate Board of Victoria

72 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

A SPECIALIZED SERVICE IF YOU ARE selling your home, business or apartment. We would appreciate the listing. For quick and efficient action, phone or call at our office. MAYNARD & SONS, ESTATE 732 Yates Street. G 1121

ARE YOU THINKING OF SELLING, AND do you want results? Let a Royal Oak Home Service or farm sell on at once. Prompt service or cash paid for your property. Call Henry & Co. 922 Yates Street. Phone E 6822.

ATTENTION—I WANT A POOL TO BUY. Have cash waiting. Will pay up to $6000 for suitable home. $1,000 cash down if desired. Any location, please. Confidential. Box 661, Colonist.

A SMALL COTTAGE WANTED, WITH two rooms. Reasonable. Phone owner, Sea Side, Cowichan.

A DUPLEX OR SIMILAR REVENUE-producing property by resh buyer Box 1278, Colonist.

A BUNGALOW OR SEMI-BUNGALOW with fairly spacious living room; around $6000. Box 5460 Colonist.

A PERSONAL PERIOD — THRAP OR four-room bungalow by April 15. Will pay $1,000 down. Phone G 3446.

LISTINGS WANTED

Exposit Service

FOR HOMES OF ALL SIZES AND prices—in all parts of the city of Victoria. It may have property for you. Call, write or phone. Office open 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Phone E 6822. Ask about our no sales commission offer.

L. M. SCHUYLER & CO. LTD.
110 Union Bldg. E 6822
412 View Street Phone G 3841

FAIRFIELD OR JAMES BAY WANTED: Have a cash client for a home in either district. Will pay up to $6000. Must have 3 bedrooms and be in good condition. Box 28 days at least 10 years' house must be modern and in good condition. Apply to Kenneth Realty Co. G 5479 or evenings G 1303

LISTINGS APPRECIATED — BUNGALOWS, cottages, any district.

PEMBERTON HOLMES LTD
625 Fort Street

JUST GET SETTLED. I HAVE CASH for a good home in good locality. Box 5278, Colonist.

FOR ARRIVAL 9-ROOM MODERN FIVE-bedroom home in the $5,000 class. Must have reasonable down payment and good location. Apply Box 5277, Colonist.

TWO-ROOM OR FIVE ROOMS. MUST have basement; prefer modern. Up to $5,000 cash. Waiting daily to see from owner direct. Reply Box 5276, Colonist.

WE HAVE BUYERS FOR FARMS, LOTS and acreages. Call us.

LET US HAVE YOUR LISTINGS

BROWN BROS., LTD.
Established 1910
760 PORT ST. (Cor. Broad) PHONE E 1181
Member Real Estate Board of Victoria

72 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

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WE HAVE CLIENTS WITH CASH AND require homes in all parts of the city. Let us have your listing. Call, write or phone

HENRY & CO.
922 Yates Street. Phone E 6822

WANTED — GOOD BUNGALOW OR home, but see particular about district. Have cash to good lighting plant. Box 5275, Colonist.

WOULD LIKE TO BUY FROM OWNER: Five or six-roomed bungalow in Cordova Bay district. Will pay reasonable price for suitable home. Box 5280, Colonist.

WANTED — 5-ROOM HOME OF ½ to ¾ acre, within 5-mile circle, near transportation. Will pay cash. Call 1320 Pittock Road, Saanich.

WANTED—COTTAGE OR SMALL BUNgalow with some garden. Cash. Box 5196, Colonist.

LISTED AT THE SOLD AT NOON
WE WILL APPRECIATE YOUR LISTINGS
Lester & Stuart
101 Pemberton Bldg. G 7171
Members Real Estate Board of Victoria

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If You Can Deliver Early Possession of the following Properties Phone Mr. Cook

Oak Bay, 1 to 5 bedrooms
Saanich, 3 bedrooms
North Quadra, 2 or 3 bedrooms
Victoria, 2 or 3 bedrooms
Jubilee District, 3 bedrooms
Kindly Phone at Once and We Will Inspect Immediately

P. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD.
1108 ROAD ST G 7171

FOR ACTION LIST WITH PAGE & SNAPE
1010 Broad Street
Phone G 2613
Evenings—Call G 7043 or G 6276
MONDAY TO FRIDAY INCLUSIVE

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

WHO'S LOT, FAIRFIELD CLOSE TO 126 x 132 ft., and shopping district, 50 ft. No 1 Bus. Phone Sawyer, E 1182.

FOR SALE — EXCELLENT APARTMENT site, 66 x 132, on Fairfield Road, close to One Day Dry, Safeway and Fairfield Gardens. Like highway because the Jubilee Hospital is on it. Price $1,500. Apply Box 5274, Colonist.

FOR SALE — NORTH PENDER ISLAND home four rooms, modern, cement basement, hot water heating, electric refrigerator. Apply Box 5273, Colonist.

HOME SITES AT COLWOOD. 8½ MILES from Carmichael, ½ Ch. Lot. 1264 Grand Drive or Phone G 3446.

LOTS — MUST BE SOLD 3 80-FOOT lots, Fairfield district, 1 block from Avalon Road. Phone G 4491.

AN ATTRACTIVE HOMESITE
30 ft. x 120 ft. (3 or 4 lots)
Situated on Beach Drive, overlooking the sea. Only 2 blocks from the beach on the ninth Bus at Fairfield Day Across is Gonzales Hill Park. Water, light and sewer available. Partially subdivided—size of 100 feet. Fairfield Realty Co. Ltd. 1208 Government Street. Phone G 7171. Evenings and street parties phone G 4491.

RECENTLY DISCHARGED ARMY OFFICER wishes to purchase small acreage with house, preferably Saanich district. Write Box 5272, Colonist.

WANTED — 5 OR 6 ACRES WITH HOUSE, must be cheap, for cash. Preferably Saanich district. Write Box 5271, Colonist.

SEAFRONT LOTS—EAST ROSER, MOST attractive subdivision. Phone G 7171 evenings. Phone E 6276 or G 7043.

70 ACRES PART LAKE SOME TO cultivate, 4-roomed house, barn, chicken house, electric power and other useful buildings; good water supply; 2 miles from Cobble Hill; fruit, most of gentleman's residential property. Price $5,000. Apply Owner, Box 5270, Colonist.

RESIDENTIAL FARM ESTATE — Partial clearing, near Shawnigan. Manager's cottage, 4 rooms, bathroom. Barn, chicken house, implement shed. Fruit trees, berries, etc. Fully equipped with tractor, implements, etc. Price $7,000. Terms. Full particulars from owner, colored photographs and detailed description. Box 5269, Colonist.

ALFRED CARMICHAEL & CO. LTD.
Real Estate Insurance

ROOM BUNGALOW ON 3 ACRE LEVEL land, 1 mile from Cobble Hill. Fruit trees, grapes, bulbs, garden shrubs, perennials, etc. Price $4,000. Terms. Apply Box 5268, Colonist.

SIDNEY — SOIL HAULTAIN VIEW. Fully serviced. Principal also 2 acres with 4-room bungalow. Low taxes. Low average $ 1013.

GOOD BUYS IN LOTS

Rudd Lampson Street
Lots
Cedar Hill Road
Lots
Queenswood Area
Lots
Tattersall Drive
Lots
Trees area low with city water and lighting. Apply owner.

NEWSTEAD REALTY
(Member—Real Estate Board of Victoria)
1010 BROAD STREET PHONE E 1164

81 PROPERTY WANTED

LOT IN OAK BAY—PHONE PARTICULARS. G 7043.

WANTED FOR FARM—GOOD VIEW LOT in Oak Bay. Must have use of car to survey material. Give location, size and price in first letter. Box 5267, Colonist.

WANTED — ONE ACRE BUSY ROAD property, Saanich area. Will pay cash. Owned or will have you. Cash if listed Phone 2126, Colwood.

WANTED—BUILDING LOT, JAMES BAY, Fairfield or Gonzales district.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

SALE OR RENT—SIDNEY 3-ACRE 4-ROOM bungalow, fruit trees, chicken house, electricity and piped water. $5,000 or rent $40 per month. Phone G 7171.

84 ACREAGE WANTED

SMALL PURCHASER REQUIRES APPROXimately one acre with house near city limits. Phone Sawyer, E 1182.

WANTED — FIVE OR TEN ACRES suitable for poultry, with house. Immediate party on. Box 5265 Colonist.

WANTED—SOME DESIRABLE LAND WITH or without buildings Cash Box 5185, Colonist.

85 FARMS FOR SALE

DAIRY FARM, 30 ACRES, PRACTICALLY all cultivated and very best of soil. Modern 7-room house, with bath and basement. Steel barn, practically new, accommodating eight tiestalls and three-horse stable. Implement shed, poultry house. Silo. Barn for 6 head, and barn, stable, implement shed and chicken house. Electric power and lighting on property. Spring water and windmill at barn. Property well fenced and cross-fenced. Price $17,000, including all stock and implements. Terms arranged. Apply Box 5264, Colonist.

SOOKE BASE — NEARLY NEW SIX-ROOM modern house, with all conveniences, including electric range and heater. Large barn and dairy. Situated at Sooke. This property will also be sold furnished as a profitable dairy farm. Price $7,500, with reasonable down payment. Apply Box 5263, Colonist.

RICHMOND DISTRICT — 102-ACRE mixed farm, 5 miles from Victoria, 2 miles from Sidney. Modern 7-room house, with furnace. Barn accommodating 20 cattle and 6 horses. Implement shed, garage, milk house, poultry house and other buildings. Electric power on property. Well watered by creek. Well fenced and cross-fenced. Price $25,000. For further particulars and immediate inspection apply to Box 5262, Colonist.

WELL-ESTABLISHED POULTRY FARM, with modern 6-room house, 1 acre, 1,000 laying pullets, 1,000 capacity brooder house, modern poultry house for 500 hens, brooder house for 1,000 chicks, and necessary buildings for city home or sale ranks. Box 5272, Colonist.

87 FARMS WANTED

SMALL FARM NEAR VICTORIA. Apply Box 5266, Colonist.

WANTED TO PURCHASE FOR SMALL HOME OF from 3 to 5 acres in North Saanich, Deep Cove or Sidney district, cash and easy terms price. Box 5241, Colonist.

WANTED — FARM FOR ROYAL OAK district. Can pay all cash for nice property. Apply Box 5261, Colonist.

WANTED TO RENT—UP TO 40 ACRES with buildings and pasturage. Phone G 7171.

HERBERT'S SALE

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF EIGHT FACIAS to me directed and delivered, issued out of and under the seal of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in actions in the Supreme Courts of British Columbia between Herbert Sale, plaintiff, and Frederick Herbert and John Arnold Wilson, defendants, and between Herbert Sale, plaintiff, and Frederick Herbert and Ethel Mary Herbert, defendants, I, LYTH HILL, constituting at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, Sheriff, have seized and taken in execution the undivided one-half interest of the said Frederick Herbert in and to all that parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and more particularly known and described as Lot Number Fifty-seven (57), Block Number Eighteen (18), Section Number Thirty-seven (37), Victoria City, according to Plan Number 1,000, and which said undivided one-half interest of the said Frederick Herbert in the said lands and premises I will offer for sale at my office in the Court House, Victoria, B.C., on the 1st day of April, 1946, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to the highest bidder for ready money.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 15th day of March, 1946.

LYTH HILL,
Sheriff, Court House
Victoria, B.C.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

BY-LAW NO. 1307

A By-law to Raise the sum of $40,000.00 for the Purpose of Purchasing a Park

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay deems it necessary to purchase certain lands for park purposes;

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of such purchase is the sum of $40,000.00 as the amount to be raised by the issue of debentures of the Corporation;

AND WHEREAS it is expedient to borrow the sum of $40,000.00 for the purpose of such purchase and to issue debentures of the Corporation for the said sum and interest thereon;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the whole rateable land within the Municipality of the Corporation according to the last revised assessment roll entirely the assessment roll is $5,000,000.00;

AND WHEREAS the total indebtedness of the Corporation is the sum of $1,000,000.00 and no part of $40,000.00 will be due from the Corporation during the current year for principal or interest;

AND WHEREAS the ½ electoral credit, as provided by the Municipal Act, is the sum of the British Act has been duly obtained;

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to obtain the assent of the electors of the Municipality of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay to the passing of this By-law;

AND WHEREAS the assent of the electors of the Municipality of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay is necessary before the passing of this By-law;

NOW THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay enacts as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay to purchase certain lands for park purposes, namely:

Lot 1, Block 1, Section 37, Victoria City, according to Plan 1000.

2. It shall be lawful for the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation the sum of $40,000.00 and to issue debentures of the Corporation for the said sum in sums or denominations of not less than One Hundred Dollars each and payable in lawful money of Canada at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, or at the City of Toronto, in the Province of Ontario, as the debentures or any of them may be issued.

3. The said debentures shall bear interest at the rate of Three per centum per annum from the date of issue thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly on the first days of March and September in each and every year during the currency of the debentures.

4. The said debentures shall be payable in twenty annual instalments, the first instalment to become due and payable on the first day of March, 1946, and the last instalment on the first day of March, 1965.

5. There shall be raised and levied by a special rate sufficient therefor over and above all other rates on all the rateable real property in the Municipality of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay according to the last revised assessment roll thereof the sum of $2,000.00 in each and every year during the currency of the debentures for the payment of the interest thereon as the same becomes due and payable, and also the sum of $2,000.00 in each and every year during the currency of the debentures for the payment of the principal thereof as the same becomes payable.

6. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as "Park By-law, 1946."

Passed the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay this 18th day of March, 1946.

Received the assent of the electors of the Municipality of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay this 18th day of March, 1946.

Reconsidered, finally passed and adopted by the electors of the Municipality of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay this 18th day of March, 1946.

Given under the Seal of the Corporation and signed by the Reeve and the Municipal Clerk this 18th day of March, 1946.

(Seal)

F. P. BLANEY
Clerk of the Municipality of Oak Bay

Notice is hereby given that the above is a true copy of the proposed by-law which was passed by the electors of the Municipality of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay on the 18th day of March, 1946.

F. P. BLANEY
Clerk of the Municipality of Oak Bay

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

BY-LAW NO. 1305

A By-law to Borrow the Sum of $45,000.00 for the Purpose of Purchasing a Park

WHEREAS the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay deems it necessary to purchase certain lands for park purposes and for the purpose of such purchase and other park purposes to borrow the sum of $45,000.00 by the issue of debentures of the Corporation;

AND WHEREAS the following agreements have been entered into with the owners of the said lands:

(1) Agreement dated the 29th day of March, A.D. 1946

BETWEEN

THE ISLANDS LIMITED, a body corporate duly carrying on business in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia

(hereinafter called "the Vendor")

AND

BUTLER LIMITED, a body corporate duly carrying on business in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia

(hereinafter called "the Purchaser")

AND

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

(Hereinafter called "the Corporation")

WHEREAS the Vendor, The Islands Limited, is the registered owner in fee simple, subject to the reservations contained in the Crown grant thereof from the Province of British Columbia, and to the encumbrances hereinafter mentioned, of the lands described in Schedule "A" hereto and shown on the plan attached thereto (hereinafter called "the said lands");

AND WHEREAS the Vendor has agreed to sell and the Purchaser has agreed to purchase the said lands upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth;

AND WHEREAS the Corporation has agreed to purchase the said lands from the Purchaser upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth;

NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH that in consideration of the sum of $1.00 now paid by the Purchaser to the Vendor (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by the Vendor) and of the covenants hereinafter contained:

1. The Vendor will sell and the Purchaser will buy the said lands for the sum of $45,000.00 payable to the Vendor, whose solicitors shall be paid by the said purchaser in "current" funding acceptable by the Corporation, on the 1st day of April, 1946, or on such earlier date as the Purchaser may elect to assume to the Purchaser's title in the said lands, subject to the reservations, encumbrances and easements hereinafter mentioned.

2. The Vendor shall execute, upon payment of the purchase price, a transfer and conveyance of the hereunder, and shall deliver the said conveyance, release and discharge to the Purchaser in registrable form, free from all liens, charges and encumbrances, except the reservations contained in the said Crown grant from the Province of British Columbia, and except the encumbrances hereinafter mentioned, and except the easements, rights-of-way and restrictions shown on the said plan.

3. The Purchaser shall pay the current taxes levied against the said lands for the year 1946.

4. The Corporate Seal of THE UPLANDS LIMITED is hereto affixed in the presence of:

P. C. CRAWFORD
(Seal)

The Corporate Seal of ESTATES LIMITED is hereto affixed in the presence of:

W. H. GARDINER.
(Seal)

M. M. McDONALD.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered by the parties hereto.

The Corporate Seal of THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY is hereto affixed in the presence of:

F. P. BLANEY
Clerk

Reeve.

SCHEDULE "A"

All and singular those pieces or parcels of land situate in the Municipality of Oak Bay, in the Province of British Columbia, and more particularly known and described as Lots 1 and 2 of Block 22, Plan 2244, with the exception thereout of Lots 1 and 2 of Block 22 and Lot A of Block 23, and Lot A of Block 24, Plan 2244, and Lots 1 and 2 of Block 23, Plan 2244, and Lots 1 and 2 of Block 24, Plan 2244, with the exception thereout of Lots 1 and 2 of Block 22, Plan 2244, and Lot A of Block 23, Plan 2244, and Lot A of Block 24, Plan 2244, all according to the plan or plans of the said lots deposited in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B.C., and numbered as shown on the said plan or plans.

Lot	Block	Plan Number
1 and 2	23	1914A
A and B	23	1914A
1 and 2	24	1914A
A and B	24	1914A
1 and 2	37	1914A
A and B	37	1914A
1 and 2	38	1914A
A and B	38	1914A
1 and 2	39	1914A
A and B	39	1914A

SCHEDULE "B"

All and singular those pieces or parcels of land situate in Section 21 of Victoria District in the Province of British Columbia particularly known and described by the number or letter and outline colored red on the plan of the said Section 21 deposited in the Land Registry Office at Victoria and there numbered as shown in the following table:

Lot	Block	Map or Plan Number
A	1	1916A
B	1	1916A
C	1	1916A

All and singular those pieces or parcels of land situate in Section 21 of Victoria District in the Province of British Columbia particularly known and described by the number or letter and outline colored red on the plan of the said Section 21 deposited in the Land Registry Office at Victoria and there numbered as shown in the following table:

Lot	Block	Map or Plan Number
A	3	1916A
B	3	1916A
C	3	1916A

(2) Agreement dated the 29th day of March, A.D. 1946

BETWEEN

THE ISLANDS LIMITED, a body corporate duly carrying on business in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia

(hereinafter called "the Vendor")

AND

BUTLER LIMITED, a body corporate duly carrying on business in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia

(hereinafter called "the Purchaser")

AND

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

(Hereinafter called "the Corporation")

WHEREAS the Vendor, The Islands Limited, is the registered owner in fee simple, subject to the reservations contained in the Crown grant from the Province of British Columbia, and to the encumbrances hereinafter mentioned, of the lands described in Schedule "B" hereto and shown on the plan attached thereto (hereinafter called "the said lands");

AND WHEREAS the Vendor has agreed to sell and the Purchaser has agreed to purchase the said lands upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth;

AND WHEREAS the Corporation has agreed to purchase the said lands from the Purchaser upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth;

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Lot	Block	Map or Plan Number
1 and 2	22	1914A
A and B	22	1914A
1 and 2	23	1914A
A and B	23	1914A
1 and 2	24	1914A
A and B	24	1914A
1 and 2	37	1914A
A and B	37	1914A
1 and 2	38	1914A
A and B	38	1914A
1 and 2	39	1914A
A and B	39	1914A

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SCHEDULE "C"

LAND TO WHICH POLE LINE EASEMENT ARE TO BE RELEASED

Lot	Block	Map or Plan Number	Portions of Lot Charged
2 and 4	21	1914A	Easterly 5 ft.
			Northerly 5 ft at the easterly 5 ft."
B and 16	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Easterly boundaries
A	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundary
1	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
1 and 2	22	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	23	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	24	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	37	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	38	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	39	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	1	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	2	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	3	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	4	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	5	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	6	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	7	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	8	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	9	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	10	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	11	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	12	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	13	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	14	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	15	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	16	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	17	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	18	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	19	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	20	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	21	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	22	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	23	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	24	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	25	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	26	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	27	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	28	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	29	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	30	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	31	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	32	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	33	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	34	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	35	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	36	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly and Westerly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Northerly boundaries
1 and 2	37	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly and Easterly boundaries
A and B	"	"	" A strip 5 ft. wide adjoining and adjoining the Southerly boundaries
1 and 2	38	"	" A

Finance—Commerce—Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 18 (CP)—Stocks, on average, made further headway over the recovery trail in today's market although exceptions were plentiful and buying generally timid

DOW JONES' AVERAGES

Twenty industrials, 193.33, up 1.36.
Twenty rails, 63.16, up .33.
Fifteen utilities, 60.36, up .10.
Sixty-five stocks, 73.33, up .42.
Total sales, 1,070,000.

H. A. Humber Ltd.:	Close	Change
Allied Chemicals	103	
American Can	121	
American Car & Locomotive	37	
American Tobacco	70	
American Smelting	66	
American Tel. & Tel.	161	
Anaconda Copper	31	
Armstrong Corpn.	63	
Atchison Topeka	40	
Atlantic Refining	21	
B. & O. Railway	21½	
Bendix Aviation Corpn.	32	
Bendix Aviation	32	
Bethlehem Steel	107	
Boeing Aircraft	27	
Borden	31	
Borg Warner	61	
Briggs Mfg. Co.	47	
C.P.R.	16	
C. & O. Railway	39	
Chrysler	104½	
Columbian Carbon	68	
Consolidated Edison	21¾	
Curtiss-Wright	8¾	
Douglas Aircraft	108½	
Eastman Kodak	131	
Erie R.R.	18¾	
General Foods	33½	
General Motors	59¾	
General Mills	42¾	
Gillette Copper	9	
Goodrich Co.	70	
Goodyear Tire	60¾	
Great Northern	29¾	
Grimi. Wire Board	20¾	
Homestake Mining	60½	
Howe Sound	30¾	
Hupp Motors	6¾	
Int. Harvester	91	
Int. T. & T.	13¾	
Int. Nickel	37¾	
Int. Paper Copper	47	
Jones Laughlin	53¾	
Montgomery Ward	63¾	
North American	20¾	
New York Central	37½	
Northern Pacific Aviation	21	
Northern Pacific	13¾	
Packard Motors	11¾	
Pan American Airways	19¾	
Penn Railway	44¾	
Phillips	44¾	
Phillips Petr.	47¾	
Purnam	41	
Radio	10	
Republic Steel	32½	
Reynolds Tobacco	31¾	
Safeway Stores	24¾	
Schenley Distillers	114¾	
Sears Roebuck	77	
Standard Oil N.J.	69¾	
Sears Roebuck	27½	
Simmons Co.	28	
Southern Pacific	58¾	
Southern Railway	21	
Swift Corpn.	28¾	
Studebaker	20¾	
Texas Corpn.	51¾	
Texas Gulf Sul.	41	
Union Pacific	104	
United Aircraft	34	
U.S. Rubber	44¾	
U.S. Steel	83½	
U.S. Smelting	46¾	
Warner Bros.	14¾	
Western Union	38½	
Warners Drugs	10¾	
Woolworth	48¾	
Zenith Radio	60	
American Waterworks	17½	
Curtiss Wright	8¾	
Greyhound	15¾	
Youngstown Sheet	64	

Toronto Unlisted Mines

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Alexandria	04	05
Amicamelend Lander	1.80	1.85
Atlantic	06	07
Bonetal	07	08
Bowes Red Lake	12	13
Bullion	15	05
Calalta Platinum	15	05
Cariad	1.00	1.05
Cheskirk	07	08
Discovery	1.65	1.70
Dominion Bridal	31	34
Eldona	03	04
Fenelon	33	35
Governor		03
Habitant	40	45
Heva Pauli	16	17
Hoyle	07	08
Inlet	12	13
Jasper Paramaca	15	17
Kerrville	1.65	1.70
Lander M	10	11
Lavalie	07	08
Mayfair	08	09
McEwing	13	14
McKinley	07	08
Montreal Malartic	40	45
Nama	03	04
Narrow Lake	10	11
Obaska	28	30
Oregon	07	08
Pitch	28	30
Quest	34	40
Quick	07	08
Rich Crown	18	19
Rockwin	08	09
Sevenoaks	04	05
Sturgeon	04	05
Tower Hill	18	19
Wiroski	10	11
Young Davidson	13	14

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Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, March 18 (CP)—Stocks were well up at mid-day today but the tone turned soft in the final period. All four groups, however, retained a margin on the up side at the close. Volume tapered off to about 1,300,000 shares for the day.

MINING SECTION

(Harry Investments, Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close
Argle-Richmond			
Armistice	70	70	70
Asbestos	66	64	64
Aubrey	1.24	1.23	1.23
Aumaque	6.00	6.00	6.00
Bankfield	04	03	03
Base Metals	31	31	31
Bear Exploration	1.35	1.31	1.17
Beattie	1.30	1.30	1.30
Bidgood Kirkland	24	23	23
Bonjo	78	73½	75
Bonville			
Brazilian	17.50	16.50	17.00
Buffalo Ankerite			
Buffalo Red Lake	42	38	38
C. & B.	3.20	3.15	3.15
Canadian Malartic	1.10	1.06	1.06
Canada Wide			
Canada Tinfields			
Century Peruvian	3.00	3.12	3.00
Chesterville Mining	1.00	1.00	1.00
Chesterville	1.03	1.03	1.03
Cheskirk M. & S.		06	06
Chesterton	4.35	4.10	4.15
Chibougamau	1.30	1.30	1.30
Coast Copper		03	03
Consolidated Mining	4.30	4.30	4.30
Dome	27.50	27.25	27.37½
East Malartic	3.70	3.50	3.60
Eldona	1.06	1.06	1.11
Falconbridge		9.00	
Fenimore			
Fleetwood Rouyn			
Giant Yellowknife	7.75	7.25	7.75
Gold & Lake	03	03	03
Goldale	36	36	36
Goldcrest Gate			
Goldcrest Gold	48	47	48
Hainer			
Hard Rock	84	81	81
Harker Gold	34	34	34
Harricanna	39	39	39
Hasaga	2.90	2.85	2.85
Hollinger	12.00	12.25	12.25
Howey	1.00	1.00	1.00
Hoyle	07	07	07
Hudson Bay M & S	42.25	41.87½	42.00
Imperial			
Int. Nickel	41.00	40.50	41.00
Jacobus			
Kerr Addison	14.25	14.00	14.00
Kirkland Lake	2.85	2.71	2.80
Lake Shore	3.65	3.50	3.50
Lamaque	23.00	22.00	22.00
Lamaque G			6.00
Lapa Cadillac	1.04	1.02	1.02
Langlaagh Lake	1.14	1.10	1.14
Lebel Oro	1.04	1.04	1.04
Lencourt			
Malartic	4.50	4.15	4.35
Malartic Red Lake	1.50	1.50	1.50
Malartic Goldfields	3.30	3.25	3.25
Mandy	1.90		1.90
Manitou Red Lake	1.10		1.10
McMarmac	.28	.26½	.26
McMillan			
McWatters			
Meta	1.05	1.00	1.05
Moneta	1.02	1.02	1.02
O'Brien	3.95	3.75	3.75
Obaska			
Pamour	9.10	8.91	8.95
Paymaster	1.10	1.10	1.10
Pend Oreille			
Perron Gold	1.56	1.50	1.52
Pickle Crow	1.70	1.70	1.70
Pioneer			
Portage Reefs	1.04	1.14	1.04
Preston	.30	.33	.33
Preston East Dome			1.75
Privateer			
Quemont	06	05	05
Rea Gaudette	8.10	8.00	8.00
Reward Reefs	1.15	1.10	1.10
Sheritt-Gordon	1.90	1.85	1.88
Shiningtree			
Sigma			
Sisco	1.85	1.80	1.85
Sladen Malartic	80	80	80
Stadacona	2.60	2.60	2.60
Stedman Bay	2.85	2.80	2.80
Steep Rock	2.05	2.00	2.00
Stellarctic	3.05	3.45	3.50
Sturgeon River			
Tobrit			1.10
Toburn Canada	3.00	2.70	2.70
Upper Canada			
Waite Amulet	8.35	8.10	8.50
Wasamac Mines	1.50	1.50	1.50
Wood Lake			1.20

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Hagar Investments, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Asbestos	39½	40
Asbestos Corp. "A"	37¾	39
Bathurst Power "A"	21	22
Beattie	47½	48
Brazilian	17	18
Brown Corp.	20	21
Brown Corp. pfd.	71	73
Bruck Mills	30	31
Bruck Mills "B"	30	31
Can. Bakeries	26	27
Canadian Breweries	39	40
Canadian Canners	86½	87½
Canadian Car & Fdy. Pfd.	19½	20
Can. Cement pfd.	104	105
Can. Cement Com.	37	38
Canadian Canners "B"	37½	38
Can. Celanese	25	26
Can. Celanese pfd.	30	31
Can. Industrial Alcohol "A"	15	16
Can. Industrial Alcohol "B"	15	16
Can. Locomotive	24	25
Can. Locomotive pfd.	50	52
Can. Steamship Lines	19	20
Can. Steamship Lines pfd.	95	97
Can. Vickers	14½	15½
Can. Vickers pfd.		
Can. Wire & Cable "B"	30	31
Commercial Alcohol	45½	47
Consolidated Paper	43½	44½
Consumers Glass	42	44
Crown Cork & Seal	69	70
Crown Zellerbach	49½	50½
Dominion Bridge	69½	70½
Dominion Engineering	30	31
Dominion Oilcloth & Line	19½	20½
Dominion Rubber	19	20
Dominion Steel & Coal	31½	32½
Dominion Stores	15	16
Dominion Tar & Chemical	23½	24½
Dominion Textile	62½	63½
Donnacona Paper	18	19
Eddy Paper	75	77
Fairchild Aircraft	4½	5½
Ford of Canada "A"	45½	46½
Ford of Canada "B"	30½	31½
Goodyear Tire	60½	61½
Goodyear Tire pfd.	104	105
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	18½	19½
Hamilton Bridge	19½	20½
Howard Smith Paper	31½	32½
Imperial Oil	15	15½
Imperial Tobacco	13	13½
International Nickel Pfd.	99	100
International Paper	68½	69½
International Paper pfd.	102	103
International Petroleum	32	33½
International Power	9½	10
International Utilities "A"	23	24
International Utilities "B"	23	24
Lake Lumber	10½	11½
Massey-Harris com.	16½	17½
Massey-Harris pfd.	98	99
Model Provincial com.	10½	11½
Model Provincial pfd.	90	95
Montreal Locomotive	44	45
National Breweries	43	44
National Steel Car	39	40
Ogilvie Flour	21½	22½
Ogilvie Flour pfd.	99	100
Power Corporation	11½	12½
Price Bros.	37	38
Price Bros. pfd.	71½	73
Provincial Paper com.	10½	11½
Provincial Paper pfd.	65½	67½
Quebec Power	20	21
Rolland Paper com.	70	72
Rolland Paper pfd.	99½	100½
Shawinigan Water & Power	23½	24½
Simpsons "A"	14	15
Simpsons "B"	14½	15½
Steel Co. of Canada	23	24
Thrift Stores	10	11½
Toronto Elevators com.	19½	20½
Toronto Elevators pfd.	98	99
Traders Finance "A"	19½	20½
Traders Finance "B"	19½	20½
Twin City Rapid Transit	19½	20½
Walkers "A"	19½	20½
Walkers "B"	19½	20½
Weston	19½	20½
Weston pfd.	99	100
Wilsons Pfd.	19½	20½
Winnipeg Electric com.	19½	20½
Winnipeg Electric pfd.	19½	20½

Closing Averages

(James Richardson & Sons)

TORONTO

Twenty industrials, 167.03, up 2.50
Twenty golds, 122.06, up 1.91.
Ten base metals, 80.31, up .69.
Fifteen Western oils, 28.94, up .49.
Total sales, 1,327,000.

MONTREAL

Twenty industrials, 128.80, up 1.20.
Ten utilities, 80.30, up .80.
Thirty combined, 112.70, up 1.26.
Ten pulp and paper, 319.46, up 7.59
Fifteen golds, 106.80, down .24.

VANCOUVER.

Twenty golds, 87.18, up 3.76.
Ten base metals, 117.36, down 1.66.
Fifteen oils, 93.20, up 1.21.

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, March 18 (CP.)—Majority trends were toward higher ground in trading up to the fifth hour today on the aStock Exchange and Curb Market.

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Canadian Industrial Pref.	21½	23
Canadian Bank of Commerce	19	19½
Bank of Montreal	23½	24½
Bank of Nova Scotia	30	31
Royal Bank of Canada	23½	24
Bank of Toronto	24	25
Abitibi, com.	4½	5
Abitibi, pfd.	40½	41
Alberta Envt.	40½	41
Aluminium Ltd.	20½	21
Bell Telephone	108	109
Brazilian Traction	24½	25
Britain America Oil	35½	36½
B.C. Power "A"	15½	16½
B.C. Power "B"	15½	16½
Building Products	40½	41½
Can. Cottons	21½	22½
Canada & Dominion Sugar	26½	27½
Can. Steamships	9½	10½
Can. Malting	70½	71½
Canada Northern Power	19½	20½
Canada Steamship com.	9½	10½
Canada Steamship pfd.	31	32
Canada Vinegars	26½	27½
Calgary & Edmonton	23	23.00
Consol. C. & F. com.	17½	18
Consolidated Paper	43½	44½
Canadian Dredge & Dock	35	36
Canadian Pacific Rail	23½	24½
Canadian Locomotive	24	25
Canadian Vickers com.	14½	15½
Canadian Vickers pfd.		
Consol. Paper	101½	102½
Commercial Alcohol	4½	5
Distillers Corporation	19½	20½
Dominion Bridge	69½	70½
Dominion Engineering	30	31
Dominion Oilcloth & Line	19½	20½
Dominion Rubber	19	20
Dominion Steel & Coal	31½	32½
Dominion Stores	15	16
Dominion Tar & Chemical	23½	24½
Dominion Textile	62½	63½
Eddy Paper	75	77
Fairchild Aircraft	4½	5½
Ford of Canada "A"	45½	46½
Ford of Canada "B"	30½	31½
Gen. Steel Wares	10½	11½
Goodyear Tire	60½	61½
Goodyear Tire pfd.	104	105
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	18½	19½
Hamilton Bridge	19½	20½
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Imperial Oil	15	15½
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Egg Market

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Products Inspection Service, Victoria. C 2403

Wholesale prices:
Grade "A" large 31
Grade "A" medium 29
Grade "A" pullets 21
Grade "B" 23

Wholesale prices:
Grade "A" large 36
Grade "A" medium 34
Grade "A" pullets 26
Grade "B" 27

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, March 18 (CP)—Moderate local buying and light offerings provided considerable strength in eye futures prices on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today. At the close prices showed a gain of 4 3-4 to 4 1-2 cents higher

	Open	High	Low	Close
May	221¾	230	221¾	230
Oct.	103¾	106¾	99½	106¼
CASH GRAIN				
Oats				
No. 2 C.W.				84½
No. 3 C.W.				84
Barley				
No. 3 C.W.				84½
Rejected				84
Flax				
No. 1 N.W.C.				242½
No. 2 C.W.				242½

OAK BAY ART CLUB

Next meeting of the Oak Bay Community Centre Art Club will be held March 27 instead of March 26, as previously arranged Mr. Binning will lecture on "Expressionism in Painting" on March 27 at the Oak Bay Municipal Hall at 8 p.m.

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER, March 18 (CP).—Mines and oils made recoveries on Vancouver Stock Exchange today while industrials were quiet. Sales were 118,560 shares.

VANCOUVER UNLISTED SECTION

(Hagar Investments, Ltd.)

MINES	Bid	Asked
Big Missouri	75	80
Bluestone	09	10½
Bralorne Stewardvier	4.00	4.05
Cariboo	90	95
Cassiar	15	18
Cassiar Hudson	1.50	1.60
Cedarvale	13½	15½
Central	1.75	1.85
Eureka Amalgamated	04	05
Hedley Mascot		
Hedley Monarch		38
Kelowna Exploration	48	50
Kim Gold	03	04
Nelson	03½	
Nicola		
Nicola Bay	14	
Mic Mic	18	19
Pacific Coast	17	18
Pacific Metals, Old	12	13
Pilot	04½	06
Pioneerite	70	75
Principia Mine		
Reno	30	31
Silbak Premier	11	12
Spud Valley	33	38
Taylor Westland	05	06
Tulsequah	1.75	1.80
Ulora, 1937	13½	15
Venando	08	10
Wasbi	70	75
Wesfrac	03	04
Whitewater	07½	08½
Barkerville Gold	27	30
Bend of Montreal	05	06

(Mara, Bole & Co., Ltd.)

VANCOUVER OILS	Bid	Asked
Anglo-Canadian	40½	43
Anglo-Canadian	10	11
Brit. Columbia	3.30	
Brit. & Can. Corpn.	70	1.00
Calmont	23	
Commonwealth		
Commonwealth		42
Dalhousie	1.90	1.75
Pinebrook	1.90	1.76
Home Oil	3.15	3.30
Home Oil		3.40
Imperial Super	85½	90
Okalta	60	
Okalta		64
Royal Canadian	31.00	31.50
Spooner		13

VANCOUVER MINES

Bayonne Cons.	21	23
Bralorne	17.00	19.00
Bridge River Cons.	1.75	1.80
Bridge River Ext.	18	21
Cariboo Gold	1.00	1.05
Columbia	17½	19
Dentonia	09	10
Dolly Varden	32	34
Hedley Mascot	3.40	3.60
Island Mountain	1.00	1.05
Jumbo	08	10
Kootenay Belle	13½	17
Lorado	1.00	1.05
Pioneer	6.75	7.00
Pioneer Bonser	1.70	1.80
Premier	2.35	2.40
Privateer	70	72
Reno-Nicola-McDonald	28	30
Silbak	22	24
Silbak Creek		1.85
Silbak Premier	2.25	2.30
Surf Inlet	85	88
Torbrit	1.05	1.10
Vidette	10	12

VANCOUVER MISCELLANEOUS

Capital Estates	6.15	6.30
Coast Breweries	2.85	2.90
Coast Silver	30.50	
United Distillers	14.90	

British Stocks

LONDON, March 18 (Reuters)—While the consensus of market opinion approved the week-end speeches of international statesmen, caution was again the keynote of today's dealings and although a better tone developed in the closing stages it had little depth to it.

Industrials made some progress and some oil shares strengthened as the result of bear closing.

British stock closings: Austin Motor "A," 35s 7 1-3d; Babcock & Wilcox, 58s 6d; Boots, 58s 4 1-2d; Central Mining 42s; Consol. Gold, 81s 3d; Courtaulds, 53s 6d ex dividend; Crown Mines, 141s 6d; De Beers, £18; H.B.C., 37s 6d; London-Midland Ry., £27 1-2; Metal Box, 97s 6d; Mag. Eagle, 1s 6d; Rio Mining Trust, 3s 1 1-2d; Rand Mines, 188s 9d; Spring Hill, 15s 9d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols, 192 7-8. British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, 1704 15-16. British Funding 4's, 1960-90, £118 3-8

Canadian Bonds

(T. P. Bengough Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Dom. of Canada 4½% 1958-68	120.00	120.40
Dom. of Canada 3½% 1961-81	110.00	110.40
Dom. Victory Loan 5% 1937	109.25	109.75
Dom. Victory Loan 4½% 1946	104.00	104.50
Dom. of Canada 3% Perp.	103.25	104.25
Dom. of Canada 2½% 1967-87	103.00	103.50
Dom. of Canada 2% 1941-44	100.50	100.75
Saskatchewan 5% 1965	109.75	111.75
Alberta 4½% 1956	109.50	110.50
Province of B.C. 1948	107.75	108.25
Province of B.C. 4% 1968	103.50	104.50
C.P.R. 3½% 1951	103.75	105.00
Montreal Harbour 3% 1953-65	101.00	101.50
Grand Trunk Pacific 4% 1962	101.00	101.50
McGillivray Power 4% 1955	102.75	104.00
Ontario Hydro 4% 1960-62	104.00	104.50
United Grain 4½% 1956	101.00	101.75
Winnipeg Elec. 4% 1965	100.00	100.50
Winnipeg Elec. 5% 1965	100.00	100.50

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AS THE HUNGRY LEOPARD PREPARES TO SPRING AT THE CHILD—
WHAT A BIG PUSSY CAT I'M HERE PUSSY—COME OUT OF THE RAIN!
A LITTLE SNOW BREAKS ACROSS THE CLEARING—FRIGHTENED BY THE JUNGLE STORM—
THE LEOPARD WHEELS, SPRINGING AT THE HUMAN OBJECT—FANGS ARE TENDER AND SWEET—
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Your Daily Forecast

By EDWARD A. WAGNER

PLANETARY GUIDE FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1946

Keywords for the Day, Patience, optimism, correspondence.

Tuesday in General — Maintain emotional poise, be patient this forenoon. The general mood improves greatly by evening. The day favors social and business correspondence, dealings with kin and loved ones. Birmingham bonds with partners and close associates.

81 March 19 Is Your Birthdate. — "Many happy returns." Famous persons born on this date include: Louis Hayward, movie actor; William Jennings Bryan, politician, orator; James E. Scripps, newspaper publisher.

Your Year Ahead—Don't be too harsh with loved ones this year. You will gain through another's generosity, possibly by October. Combined efforts and assets properly utilized will help you make large business gains. Agreements and writings prove profitable.

Night Sessions to Begin on Tuesday

Hours of work for members of the Legislature will lengthen this week.

Premier John Hart said that night sessions will begin today.

R.C. Sea Cadets

Orders for the week ending March 23, 1946, by Lt.-Comdr. P. W. Tribe, R.C.S.C., Commanding Officer, R.C.S.C. "Rainbow."

Tuesday, March 19. The entire ship's company will parade at Headquarters at 19.15, duty hands at 19.00.

Duty Division, Jeviand — O.O.W., Mid. Duncan; Duty P.O., P.O. Rayfuse; Duty L.S., L.S. Maskell; Quartermaster, R. Chalk. Sentries, J. Cummer, E. Davies, B. Hennessy. Bugler, W. Ross. Signalmen, D. Knill, W. Peterson. Messengers, V. Hermiston, R. McLaren, E. Peterson.

Friday, March 22. The entire ship's company will parade at Headquarters at 19.15, duty hands at 19.00.

Duty Division, Rodney — O.O.W., Mid. Duncan; Duty P.O., P.O. Goddard; Duty L.S., L.S. Maskell; Quartermaster, R. Chalk. Sentries, D. Wakelin, J. Shipley, R. Rix. Bugler, B. McVie. Signalmen, W. Anderson, D. Clyde. Messengers, R. Walla, R. McCaigher, B. Emery.

C. R. POWELL, Lt. R.C.S.C., Executive Officer.

Waterworks Survey

LADYSMITH, March 18. — The City Council plans to engage a consulting engineer to outline a five-year plan for development of the waterworks system, with particular attention to correction of pressures on the higher levels.

Neurosis; Neurasthenia, Hysteria, Anxiety

By DR. J. B. WARREN

Wiley there is no real disturbance or change in the structure of the nerves or nerve tissue, yet the individual behaves in an abnormal or strange manner, the condition is called a neurosis.

1.—Neurasthenia. Mental and physical tiredness.

2.—Hysteria: Patient thinks he cannot walk, cannot remember, throws himself about, but doesn't hurt himself because he is unconscious.

3.—Anxiety states. A continuous state of anxiety with rapid or hard beating of the heart, breathlessness, nausea and vomiting and diarrhoea.

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Regatta at Gorge Slated for May 24

Indian canoe races will feature the May 24 regatta to be held at the Gorge, starting at 2.30 p.m. Arrangements for the affair were made at a meeting of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The regatta will be conducted by the Native flora of Canada and the James Bay Athletic Association, under the direction of Dan Moses.

Plans were also made for the Arion Club Choir to hold a concert at Beacon Hill Park on the afternoon of May 26.

C. J. Harrington, president of the Junior Chamber, sponsor of the May 24 celebrations, yesterday said the affair would be a homecoming celebration to all who had served in the forces, in addition to marking Queen Victoria's birthday.

Flowers Vital To Animal Life

Without flowers there could be no animal life in the world, because flowers ensure the perpetuation of plant life, George A. Hardy, Provincial Museum botanist, explained on Saturday morning's weekly lecture for school students at the Museum.

"Marvels of Flower Land" was the subject of Mr. Hardy's lecture to about 400 students. He displayed several excellent models which demonstrated on an enlarged scale the three methods, water, wind and insect, by which flowers are pollinated.

Mr. Hardy also showed models of the world's smallest flower, the wolffa, measuring only one-sixty-fifth of an inch, a native of the southern parts of the United States and South America, and the world's largest, the raffesia, measuring three feet expanded and weighing 15 pounds. Contrasting the sizes of the two, he remarked that it would take 60,000,000 wolffa flowers to make up the weight of one raffesia.

The wolffa, Mr. Hardy said, was related to the common duckweed, British Columbia's smallest flower, being about one-third the size of duckweed. British Columbia's largest was the yellow pond lily.

CLASSES IN FIRST AID

LADYSMITH, March 16.—Under direction of A. J. Taylor, Comox Logging & Railway Company branch of St. John Ambulance Association will open first aid classes here Thursday. Lecturers will include Ray Parkin, Albert Redford, Victor Uppgard, James Robertson, John Stewart and Allan McDonald.

LeBourdais Rouses Interest of Irish

Boast by Louis LeBourdais, M.L.A., for the rCaribou that his district produced the finest potatoes in Canada placed him in a difficult spot when he spoke to Craigflower Post of the Civil Defence Guild prior to St. Patrick's Day. He was deluged with demands from the Irishmen in his audience for samples.

Mr. LeBourdais found himself up against a stout champion of Vancouver Island farming in Samuel Guthrie, M.L.A., for Cowichan-Newcastle, who spoke of the produce of the Island.

Both were placed under a fire of questions by members of the audience.

The evening concluded with a social and refreshments. Magnus Colvin was in the chair.

Teachers' Group Study School Affairs

A thorough study of the potentialities of school dormitories, such as those established in Alberta, is planned by the British Columbia Teachers' Federation, it was announced in a press release yesterday.

The proposal of the sub-heads report to reduce the 700-odd school districts in the province to 74 "is one definite remedial step," the Federation declared.

Improved transportation facilities to and from schools in rural sections, emphasis on more practical subjects such as agriculture, and possibly school dormitories, were suggested.

EXETER, England (CP).—Prisoners from Exeter jail are working in the streets here demolishing blast walls outside private houses.

Butter Increase In May Is Hope

Hope for an increase in the butter ration by May, when production increases, has been expressed by A. B. Food, food ration officer of Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

"It is questionable, however, whether the ration will revert to eight ounces per person a week," Mr. Food said.

At this time of the year butter production is at a minimum, making it necessary to use storage stocks to fulfill weekly requirements, he explained.

Agricultural Hall

LADYSMITH, March 16.—Foundation work on the new agricultural hall is more than half completed. Agricultural association directors planned at a recent meeting were: R. Simpson, T. Honeyman, K. W. Fulward, C. Williams, C. Rockard, T. Bertram, J. King, M. Wilkinson, D. Wilson, W. Wilson, H. Wilwayt, A. McDonald, F. W. Matsell, H. Hartley, J. F. Rumble, Mrs. W. Sanderson, Mrs. D. S. Gourlay, Mrs. T. W. Martindale and Miss B. Trantfield.

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK, March 18 (CP).—The Canadian dollar was down 1-16 at a discount of 9 3-16 per cent in terms of United States funds in closing foreign exchange dealings today. (Ottawa Foreign Exchange Board rates 9 09-9 51 per cent discount). The pound sterling was unchanged at $4.03 1-2.

MARGATE, England (CP).—Donkeys on the sands should have an eight-hour-day with an hour off for lunch, says a proposal made to the Margate town council.

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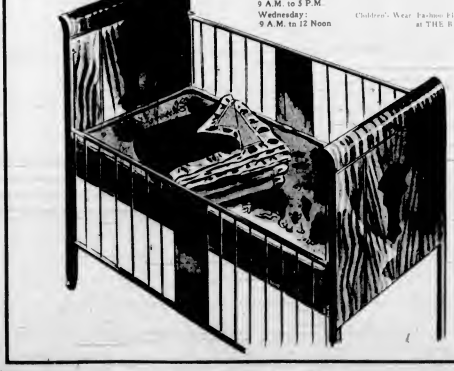

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